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OF CANADA

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BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH . . .

MOST EXCELLENT COMPANION AUBE L. WEISMAN

BORN
Toronto, September 29, 1914.

PARENTS
Alex and Gertrude

MARRIED
Wife — Fae, Kalamazoo, Michigan.

CHILDREN
Judith and Morton Wagman, Carolyn and Myles Gordon and Meri Rae Weisman
Grand Children Jana Gayle and Andrew Ira Mark Wagman

RELIGION
Member of the Beth Sholom Synagogue, Toronto

BUSINESS
Co-Founder and President
Cardwell Laundry Limited and Master Linen Supply Co.
Member—The Textile Rental Institute of Ontario

MASONIC RECORD
Initiated, Passed and Raised in Mt. Sinai Lodge#522, Toronto, 1949
Exalted in Mt. Sinai Chapter #212, Toronto, 1950
First Principal, 1956
Member—Holy Land Chapter—Israel
Charter Member, The Mount Moriah Lodge #727
Worshipful Master, 1978
Member—The Order of the High Priesthood of Ontario
Member—Adoniram Council #2 Royal and Select Masters, Cryptic Rite
Member—Royal Ark Mariners
Member—Principals' Association Royal Arch Masons, Toronto
Member—Mt. Sinai Chapter #161, California
Honorary Member—Mt. Sinai Chapter #293, Buffalo, New York.
Member—Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Canada 32°
Appointed to Grand Chapter Bursary Committee, 1969
Appointed Grand Senior Sojourner, 1970
Chairman, Grand Chapter Bursary Committee, 1972-1973
Appointed Chairman Grand Chapter Membership Committee, 1973
Elected to Grand Chapter Executive, 1972-73
Elected Grand Third Principal, 1974-5
Elected Grand Second Principal, 1976-77
Elected Grand First Principal, 1978
He is the Grand Representative of New Jersey near the Grand Chapter of Canada

COMMUNAL SERVICE RECORD
Member—Toronto Lodge B'Nai Brith #836, President, 1955
Past Chairman—Toronto B'Nai Brith Coordinating Committee
Past Chairman—B'Nai Brith Youth Organization—Southern Ontario Region
Past Chairman—United Jewish Appeal—Launderers & Cleaners Division
Member—Pride of Israel Society

OTHER MEMBERSHIPS
Maple Downs Golf & Country Club
Toronto Board of Trade
Art Gallery of Ontario

AUBE L. WEISMAN
Most Excellent Grand Z., 1978-79

MOST EXCELLENT COMPANION
JAMES ELWOOD GIRVAN
GRAND Z., 1965-66

IN MEMORIAM
MOST EX. COMP. JAMES ELWOOD GIRVEN

"There are stars that go out in the darkness
But whose silvery light shineth on.
There are roses whose perfume still lingers
When the blossoms are faded and gone.

There are hearts full of life and of sweetness
When no longer their life current flows
Still their goodness lives on with the living
Like the soul of the star and the rose."

Once again the Great Architect of the Universe has called, and we record in the Golden Pages of Time the passing of a dedicated husband, father, distinguished citizen and one whose passing leaves a great void in our Masonic family.

Born in Smith Township, County of Peterborough, Most Ex. Comp. Girven, died January 12, 1979. He was an active member of Trinity United Church, Peterborough, a life member of Peterborough Lodge No. 155, where he was initiated, passed and raised Oct. 4, 1927. He was exalted in Corinthian Chapter No. 36, Royal Arch Masons, Peterborough, and was their First Principal Z. in 1940. Elected Grand Superintendent of Ontario District No. 10 in 1945, and served on the Grand Executive in various capacities from 1947 to 1960. He was elected Grand Third Principal J. in 1961-2, Grand Second Principal H. in 1963-4, and Grand Principal Z. in 1965.

He was Grand Representative of the Grand Chapter of Saskatchewan, near the Grand Chapter of Canada in Ontario. He was a life member of Moore Preceptory No. 13, Peterborough, a member of Moore Conclave No. 15 of the Masonic and Military Orders of Knights of the Red Cross of Constantine KHS and St. John the Evangelist, Peterborough, member of the Rameses Shrine, AAONMS, Toronto, and Kawartha Shrine Club, Peterborough.

"Beautiful life is that whose span
Is spent in duty to God and man
Beautiful calm when the Course is run
Beautiful twilight at set of sun,
Beautiful death with a life well done."

The late Most Ex. Comp. Girven's life was not only one of dedication to his family, his employer, but one of distinguished service to his fellow man. An inspiration to all those who had the good fortune of knowing and working with him. He was a man who at no time courted applause, but was admired and respected by all. He had a very distinguished career and few were his peer as an Executive.

The following is but an incomplete list of offices he held in various important organizations:

Past President Y.M.C.A.
Past Vice-President Eastern Ontario Y.M.C.A.
Past Vice-President Peterborough St. John Ambulance.
Past Chairman, Peterborough Canadian Manufacturer's Ass'n.
Past President Peterborough Red Cross Society.
Past President V.O.N., Peterborough Branch.
Past President Peterborough Rotary Club.

"Such is the fate of man. The morning may promise joy, but the night encompasses us with sorrow. We fall into slumber, not knowing when we will awaken. Life, unlike the year, has no fixed sequence of seasons. Truly in the midst of life we are in death."

"Such was our friend, Formed on the good old plan
A true and brave and downright honest man!
He blew no trumpet in the Market-place,
Loathing pretense, he did with cheerful will
What others talked of while their hands were still."

C. W. EMMETT, P.G.Z.,

GRAND CHAPTER OF ROYAL ARCH MASONS OF CANADA IN THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO

The One Hundred and Twenty-First Annual Convocation of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Canada in the Province of Ontario was held in the Sheraton-Brock Hotel, Niagara Falls, Ontario, Canada, on 26, 27 and 28 April, 1979.

M. Ex. Comp. Aube Weisman ..... Grand Z.
R. Ex. Comp. Fred Scott ..... Grand H.
R. Ex. Comp. Gordon Stuart ..... Grand J.
} Grand Council

PAST GRAND Z.'s

M. Ex. Comp. A. G. N. Bradshaw, M. Ex. Comp. John L. House, M. Ex. Comp. Bruce H. Smith, M. Ex. Comp. Charles W. Emmett, M. Ex. Comp. Fraser Hay, M. Ex. Comp. Fred W. D. Welham, M. Ex. Comp. Leo J. Gent, M. Ex. Comp. William S. Thomson, M. Ex. Comp. W. H. Sproule.

GRAND CHAPTER OFFICERS — Elected 1978

R. Ex. Comp. V. Rev. George Charles Coster Scovil ..... Grand Chaplain
R. Ex. Comp. Gordon Thomas A. Ferguson ..... Grand Treasurer
R. Ex. Comp. Frederick C. Conley ..... Grand Scribe E.
R. Ex. Comp. William Bratty Bell ..... Grand Scribe N.
R. Ex. Comp. Percival Duff Armstrong ..... Grand Prin. Sojourner
R. Ex. Comp. Reginald Forest-Jones ..... Grand Registrar

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE — HONOURARY

R. Ex. Comp. F. Carl Ackert, R. Ex. Comp. Lloyd B. Gillespie, R. Ex. Comp. George E. Turner, R. Ex. Comp. Maarten van Wamelen, R. Ex. Comp. Eldridge K. Hogaboom.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE — Elected

R. Ex. Comp. Edward W. Elcombe, R. Ex. Comp. Hallett Banks, R. Ex. Comp. Edward Millar Marshall, R. Ex. Comp. William James Boston, R. Ex. Comp. Edward Hugh Logan.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE — Appointed

R. Ex. Comp. George William Campbell, R. Ex. Comp. Clarence Albert Faulkner, R. Ex. Comp. John Campbell Ferguson, R. Ex. Comp. Arthur Stanley Haley, R. Ex. Comp. Frank Archibald Simpson.

GRAND SUPERINTENDENTS — 1978-79

St. Clair District No. 1 ..... R. Ex. Comp. Robert B. Morris
London District No. 2 ..... R. Ex. Comp. Roy Vincent West
Wilson District No. 3 ..... R. Ex. Comp. William John Ferguson
Wellington District No. 4 ..... R. Ex. Comp. John Franklin Reynolds
Hamilton District No. 5 ..... R. Ex. Comp. John Garnet Robbins
Huron District No. 6 ..... R. Ex. Comp. Leonard James de Zeeuw
Niagara District No. 7 ..... R. Ex. Comp. Nicholas Wallace Cooper
Toronto East District No. 8 ..... R. Ex. Comp. Martin Hocking Poupart
Toronto West District No. 8A ..... R. Ex. Comp. John Edward Kline
Georgian District No. 9 ..... R. Ex. Comp. Stanley Tonkin
Ontario District No. 10 ..... R. Ex. Comp. Bernard Box
Prince Edward District No. 11 ..... R. Ex. Comp. Robert Ross Chatterson
St. Lawrence District No. 12 ..... R. Ex. Comp. George Russell Drummond
Ottawa District No. 13 ..... R. Ex. Comp. Harry Wayne Barr
Algoma District No. 14 ..... R. Ex. Comp. James Robb
New Ontario District No. 15 ..... R. Ex. Comp. Albert Franklin Gamble
Temiskaming District No. 16 ..... R. Ex. Comp. Robert McLeod

RT. EX. COMP. ROBERT T. RIGBY,
Acting Grand Scribe E.

(Seal)

GRAND CHAPTER OPENED

A constitutional number of Chapters being represented by their qualified officers, the One Hundred and Twenty-First Annual Convocation of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Canada in the Province of Ontario was opened in Ample Form at 10:00 a.m.

The Grand First Principal, M. Ex. Comp. Aube L. Weisman welcomed all present and announced that all Royal Arch Masons, in good standing and properly vouched for, would be made welcome.

DISTINGUISHED GUESTS

The following Distinguished Guests were formally introduced by the Grand Director of Ceremonies R. Ex. Comp. David J. Odishaw, assisted by R. Ex. Comp. Edward M. Marshall and assistants:

1. ALBERTA—M. Ex. Comp. Phillip J. Kendall, Past Grand First Principal, R. Ex. Comp. James M. Bremner, Grand Representative.
2. CONNECTICUT—M. Ex. Comp. Thomas C. Miller, Grand High Priest.
3. DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA—M. Ex. Comp. C. Morten Wendt, Grand High Priest, R. Ex. Comp. Howard Beltran, Grand Principal Sojourner.
4. ILLINOIS—R. Ex. Comp. Luther R. Smith, Grand Scribe.
5. MASSACHUSETTS—M. Ex. Comp. Robert O. Thayer, Grand High Priest, M. Ex. Comp. Charles A. Cross, Past Grand High Priest, M. Ex. Comp. Ralph B. Duncan, Past Grand High Priest, R. Ex. Comp. Alfred E. Morin, Deputy Grand High Priest, M. Ex. Comp. Lane E. Wheaton, Past Grand High Priest, R. Ex. Comp. Rudy Homberg, Grand Secretary.
6. MAINE—M. Ex. Comp. Marvin Timberlane, Grand High Priest.
7. MICHIGAN—M. Ex. Comp. Wayne E. Turton, Grand High Priest, R. Ex. Comp. Paul Johnston, Grand Captain of the Host, R. Ex. Comp. David A. Price, Past Grand Royal Arch Captain.
8. NEW YORK—M. Ex. Comp. Calvin G. Bond, Grand High Priest.
9. QUEBEC—M. Ex. Comp. Frank Borlace, Grand First Principal, M. Ex. Comp. Wilfred L. Macdonald, Past Grand First Principal, M. Ex. Comp. Geoffrey Lessard, Past Grand First Principal, M. Ex. Comp. Fred T. Griffiths, Past Grand First Principal, R. Ex. Comp. Ed. Platt, Grand Second Principal, R. Ex. Comp. Kenneth E. Campbell, Grand Scribe E.
10. RHODE ISLAND—M. Ex. Comp. Robert L. Mandeville, Grand High Priest.
11. VIRGINIA—M. Ex. Comp. Joseph Barnes, Grand High Priest, R. Ex. Comp. Clyde G. Burcher, Grand Marshal.
12. ORDER OF THE HIGH PRIESTHOOD OF ONTARIO—M. Ex. Comp. John H. Dunbar, Grand Recorder.
13. SCOTTISH RITE—Ill. Bro. Walter H. Mortlock, Lt. Grand Commander.
14. SOVEREIGN GREAT PRIORY—M. Em. Knight Charles E. Wells, Grand Chancellor.
15. RED CROSS OF CONSTANTINE—M. Ill. Knight, Walter C. Fleming, Grand Sovereign.
16. YORK RITE SOVEREIGN COLLEGE OF NORTH AMERICA—The Most Pre-Eminently Distinguished Governor General John A. Downs.

17. GRAND LODGE—M. Wor. Bro. and Rt. Ex. Comp. George E. Turner, Past Grand Master, representing the Grand Master, Grand Lodge of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Our Grand Z., M. Ex. Comp. Aube L. Weisman, personally greeted each distinguished visitor when presented. They were then escorted to their chair on the platform by R. Ex. Comp. Fred Scott, and R. Ex. Comp. Gordon H. Stuart.

These, our Distinguished Visitors, were accorded Grand Honours, led by our Grand N., Wm. B. Bell.

M. Wor. Bro. George E. Turner was personally welcomed by M. Ex. Comp. Aube Weisman. He expressed his personal welcome and that of all Companions to our Grand Master's representative who had taken time from his very heavy schedule to be with us at this Grand Convocation. M. Wor. Bro. Turner was accorded Grand Honours led by V. Ex. Comp. Wm. B. Bell, and M. Ex. Comp Aube Weisman personally escorted him to his chair.

The Flags of Canada and the United States were presented at the Altar and placed on the platform. The National Anthems of the two countries were then sung.

M. Ex. Comp. Aube L. Weisman introduced M. Wor. George E. Turner and asked him to speak to our Companions and escorted him to the microphone.

M. WOR. BRO. GEORGE E. TURNER

M. Wor. Bro. George E. Turner brought greetings to our Grand Convocation from M. Wor. Bro. Robert E. Davies, Grand Master of Grand Lodge and on his behalf expressed the hope that our deliberations would be most fruitful. He expressed his personal pleasure of being asked to represent the Grand Master who was unable to be present.

PRESENTATION OF GRAND Z.'s

M. Ex. Comp. Aube L. Weisman read the names of our Grand Z.'s in order of Seniority and asked that they approach the altar. The following answered the call:

M. Ex. Comp. Bruce H. Smith
M. Ex. Comp. C. W. Emmett
M. Ex. Comp. F. Hay, M.D.
M. Ex. Comp. F. W. D. Welham
M. Ex. Comp. L. J. Gent
M. Ex. Comp. W. S. Thomson
M. Ex. Comp. W. H. Sproule

These Most Worthy Companions were warmly welcomed by our Grand Z. He stated that their advice was frequently sought by him and always given. He depended on their assistance to further the work of our Grand Jurisdiction. He regretted that M. Ex. Comp. A. G. N. Bradshaw and M. Ex. Comp. J. L. House were unable to be presented. He directed the Grand Scribe E. to send them a letter stating that they were missed.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FRATERNAL DEAD

Most Excellent Sirs and Companions:

During the Year 1978 429 of our Companions passed to the Grand Chapter Above. Twenty of these had Grand Chapter Rank. We also remember Eleven of Past Grand Rank who were reported to us from Sister Jurisdictions.

Although their loss is mourned and we pray to the Most High for the comforting of the bereaved, we look on this time of Memorial as

a blessing. We can thank the Most High for service and witness of these our Companions to the enrichment of Royal Arch Masonry. We can rejoice in the sure and certain hope of Resurrection and eternal life. At the same time we can follow the good example of these Companions and re-dedicate ourselves to those sacred duties taught us in the work of our Chapter. We must carry on the rich heritage they have passed on to us.

Service which will conclude with the Hymn "O God Our Help in Ages Past".

MEMORIAL SERVICE

Grand Chaplain Rt. Ex. Comp. Rev. Coster Scovil

The eternal God is thy refuge, and underneath are the everlasting arms. Deuteronomy 33: 27.

I know that my Redeemer liveth, and that he shall stand at the latter day upon earth. Job 19: 25.

Prayer of Invocation:

Almighty Father, the source from which we come, the end to which we travel, the light and strength of our pilgrimage, and the repose of the holy and blessed dead, bind us, we pray Thee, in comradeship with the heroes and saints of every age. In this hour of solemn remembrance, we think of our Companions who have faithfully lived and died, and especially those most near to us. Lift us all into light and love, and give us at last our portion with those who have trusted in Thee, and have striven to do Thy Will.

And to Thy Name, with the Companions on earth and the Companions above, we ascribe all honour and glory. Amen.

Psalm 23 (Reading responsively):

1. The Lord is my shepherd; therefore can I lack nothing.
2. He shall feed me in a green pasture, and lead me forth beside the waters of comfort.
3. He shall restore my soul, and bring me forth in the paths of righteousness, for his Name's sake.
4. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil; for thou art with me, thy rod and thy staff comfort me.
5. Thou shalt prepare a table before me in the presence of them that trouble me; thou hast anointed my head with oil, and my cup shall be full.
6. Surely thy loving-kindness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life; and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.

Almighty God, with Whom do live the spirits of them that depart hence in the Lord, and with Whom the souls of the faithful, after they are delivered from the burden of the flesh, are in joy and felicity; we praise and magnify Thy Holy Name for all Thy servants who have finished their course and kept the faith; beseeching Thee that it may please Thee, of Thy gracious goodness, shortly to accomplish the number of Thine elect, and to hasten Thy Kingdom, that we, with all those that are departed in the true faith of Thy Holy Name, may have our perfect consummation and bliss, both in body and soul, in Thy eternal and everlasting glory. Hear our prayer, O God, and let our cry come unto Thee. Amen.

All respond: So mote it be.

Prayer of Dedication:

Almighty Father, by Whose grace we have life and in Whose light we see light, mercifully grant that this hour of memory may be a mount of vision, from which new light shall fall upon our fleeting days; that we may think of our lives as sent from Thee, on Thy errand for services Thou hast appointed.

Reverently, O God, we give ourselves to Thee in a new dedication

Fill our minds with light and our hearts with love, that we may serve Thee with patient faith and joyous confidence. Build our lives into Thy Temple of spiritual fellowship, and keep us as Companions steadfast in that fellowship.

Make our days bright with Thy presence, rich in the fruits of the spirit, and tender in human ministry, that our lives may be fragrant with happiness.

Use us as Thou wilt, our hands to do Thy work, our lips to speak Thy truth, our lives to be gospels of Thy love and mercy; and to Thee be honour and glory, thanksgiving and adoration, world without end.

Amen.

All respond: So mote it be.

Benediction:

May the blessing of the G.A.O.T.U. rest upon us and upon all our work and worship done in His Name. May He give us light to guide us, courage to support us, and love to unite us, now and evermore. Amen.

O God Our Help in Ages Past.

DEATHS — 1978

1 Ancient Frontenac & Cataraqui—J. M. Burden, J. Shamess, W. D. Elmer, E. R. Holland, R. K. Widdis.

2 The Hiram—J. Rosenstadt, J. H. Smith, F. J. Wheal, G. A. Fuller, G. Schram.

3 St. John's—C. G. Smuck, K. E. White, W. A. Childs, S. G. Henry, W. H. Crumplin.

4 St. Andrew & St. John—H. W. P. Blahout, W. R. Legary, C. B. West.

5 St. George's—M. L. Chiverton, F. T. Vallance, F. Hollowell, G. L. Sinclair, W. Hunter, G. R. Brown.

6 St. John's—M. F. Ireland, R. B. Kierman, A. Irvine, E. Fuglestad.

7 The Moira—E. W. Dickens, G. R. Davis, H. W. Payne, J. G. Shaw, E. Bradshaw, C. Tebworth, A. R. Graham.

8 King Solomon's--W. F. Hill, S. R. Sleeman, A. Witham, E. A. Aberdeen, A. S. Acornley, C. R. Vint.

15 Wawanosh—W. E. Eldridge, C. A. Hammett, G. Strachlin.

16 Carleton—W. E. Scott, A. B. Casselman, A. E. Findley, C. A. Morrow, F. Connelly, D. Maunder.

18 Oxford—G. K. Mansell, M. R. King, A. J. Lockhart, D. Taylor.

19 Mount Moriah—H. McKay, C. H. Berry, C. E. Weaver, G. Whitehead, H. T. Fernay, C. H. Baum, J. Thomas, A. Mitchell, R. G. Lambert.

20 Mount Horeb—A. R. Cawley, C. H. Boyce, A. Borger.

23 Ezra—F. M. Sutherland, H. S. Hutchinson, C. O. Barber.

24 Tecumseh—A. Wolf.

26 St. Mark's—D. C. Bonistill, W. Graham.

27 Manitou—A. J. Chapman, J. M. Taylor, F. H. Bellamy, R. A. E. Alexander, T. Borthwick, F. Melton.

28 Pentalpha—A. W. F. Woodward, E. D. Cornish, F. Sturch, M. Weir, A. W. H. Price.

29 McCallum—A. Lamberton, J. Hall.

30 Huron—S. E. Malins.

31 Prince Edward—A. R. Hicks.

32 Waterloo—C. H. Smith, E. R. Buck, F. C. Smith, R. W. Dundas, W. Baggley, J. E. Westbrook, C. A. Hall, A. G. Dawson.

34 Signet—A. C. Fraser, R. N. Christie, D. M. White.

36 Corinthian—D. G. Melton, D. M. Hill, J. A. Bradshaw, M. W. Shearer, A. V. Clapper, F. F. Pullyblank, H. Hesketh, J. F. Clarke.

37 Victoria—F. B. Robinson, F. E. Clayton.

40 Guelph—A. R. Rutherford, J. C. Grant, O. T. Flint, G. J. R. Stephens, S. F. Jarvis, A. Elkin.

44 Mount Sinai—H. R. Fraser, H. Moore.

46 St. James—F. H. May, R. Hearn.

47 Wellington—W. G. Gale, J. H. Menzies, P. E. Taylor, K. Edwards, R. Jordan, E. D. D. Mellow.

54 Palestine—W. E. Locke, C. Smale, C. B. McGennis, D. J. Turville, K. Lau, C. H. Boyd.

56 Georgian—C. Fotheringham, O. N. McDougall, R. Hall.

59 Sussex-St. Lawrence—W. F. Warner, H. Acton, J. P. Mepham, H. G. Stanway, G. B. Carley, C. E. Brown, G. F. Perrin, O. D. Whaley.

62 York—J. Shield, F. W. Hickley.

63 Havelock—R. C. Pollock, E. F. Frey.

64 Willson—W. E. Moulton.

67 Enterprise—W. G. McGee, J. F. Edwards.

68 Maitland—O. H. Nickel, V. Croizer, E. Barkley, F. N. Whaley, T. M. Wilson.

71 Prince of Wales—E. Simpson.

73 Erie—J. R. McPherson, B. J. Smith.

75 St. Clair—R. J. Hamilton.

76 Mount Nebo—G. C. Harker.

78 Minnewawa—M. Turnbull, H. H. Briers.

79 Orient—H. D. Ballod, W. L. Hyatt, D. T. Stewart, J. H. Couch, C. Harpham, E. Montgomery, J. F. Boehm.

80 Ark—L. Hillis, R. B. Fathers, W. N. Moore, G. Gale, R. J. Hyland, C. Hoppa, W. T. Wooster, W. J. Person, W. J. Moxon, G. G. Caldwell, G. I. Baillie.

81 Aylmer—A. Bartlett.

82 Shuniah—J. McNeill, G. Blanchard, J. M. Clarke, E. S. Pearson, M. W. Pearce, I. I. Wadson, L. Berger, H. W. Hill, W. G. Pascoe, C. A. Hellstrom.

84 Lebanon—J. W. McLean, G. S. Cameron.

88 MacNabb—R. McVean, H. Ellis, F. I. Kersey.

90 Golden—A. M. Petrechko, B. F. Nilson.

91 Toronto Antiquity—C. Moore, R. J. Reid.

94 Midland—E. S. Coombs, H. W. Dawson, C. W. Jackett, J. Carew, R. C. Irvine.

95 Tuscan—T. J. Kennedy, W. R. Stuart, D. Cowcill, H. C. Bangle, R. M. Mitchel, C. A. Williamson, A. Hague.

102 Algonquin—J. G. Patterson, F. E. Hollingsworth, J. R. Lund, R. L. Reilly, D. S. B. Lothian, J. R. Rhodes, G. L. Cameron.

103 St. John's—R. Hemmings, F. H. Gammon, L. E. Tregenza, J. W. Billington, D. Hanneson, H. E. Ward.

112 St. John's—G. W. Gorrell, J. A. McCaslin, E. T. Crowder.

113 Covenant—A. G. MacHaffie, J. F. Millar, A. Mitchell, C. A. Markell, C. G. Markell, G. E. McCutcheon, A. F. Amell, J. Entwistle, R. P. Milligan, D. D. Gray.

114 Bonnechere—H. Young, S. Ferguson.

115 Brant—H. A. Garner, T. W. Blackwell.

116 Maple—T. C. Shields, P. R. Leach.

117 Kitchener—C. Fotheringham.

119 King Cyrus—H. M. Peterson, M. A. Robertson, H. Knox, H. F. Coulter.

129 Elliott—H. Dungey, N. D. Watt.

130 Chantry—L. Matheson, D. Ford.

131 Amabel—W. A. Weir.

132 Leeds—K. C. Gray.

133 St. Francis—G. A. Oatway, H. A. Stinson, C. Eldridge.

134 King Darius—D. A. Parliament, S. Barrett, T. S. Rogers.

138 Shekinah—A. Auld, G. S. Rennie, G. Palin, N. McKissock, C. H. Leaver, T. W. McLean, R. E. Parry, K. J. Morton, A. E. Stockey.

140 Fort William—S. J. Hunt.

143 Glengarry—R. B. Buchan.

144 Presqu'ile—T. R. Peister, W. H. Morrow.

145 The St. Patrick—A. W. Preece, C. L. Richardson, C. F. Howe.

146 Bernard—W. S. Donaldson, W. Felkar.

147 Lucknow—G. W. Joynt.

148 St. John's—S. J. Hunter.

150 London—A. E. J. MacDonald, G. T. Mitches.

151 Laurentian—G. B. Shultz, E. L. Popp, A. Woloshen.

153 Sombra—S. T. Pierce, R. A. Nelson.

155 Ancaster—A. Martin.

161 Madoc—T. C. Lloyd, W. J. Keller, W. M. Bush.

167 Kitchikewana—P. Karch, R. W. Edwards.

168 Ionic—C. D. McCulloch, H. W. Bourne.

169 Temiskaming—H. A. Jackson.

175 The Hamilton—H. M. Moore, J. H. Rogers, A. Gleave.

184 Hugh Murray—C. Fotheringham, T. McHugh, J. K. Oldrieve.

195 Peel—C. G. Fielding.

198 Couchiching—W. J. Ross, M. A. MacDonald, J. A. MacDonald.

205 Victoria—L. R. Marwood, R. B. Dolson.

212 Mount Sinai—L. Goldman, J. D. Alter, J. W. Woodland, L. A. Gerston.

213 Northern Lights—C. P. Ramsay, H. B. Briden, F. Wills, A. Connor, A. J. Phillips, C. R. Sellar.

214 Vimy—L. Johnston.

215 Mimico—D. J. Digby, C. E. Embury, T. D. Chisholm, G. Stphen.
217 St. Alban's—L. C. Trinnell, S. J. Morris, J. F. Bartley.
218 Prince Edward—J. C. McGhee, R. L. McLaren.
219 Ulster—G. Ben, W. A. B. Wood.
220 Lebanon—W. A. McKague, R. Anderson.
222 Ottawa—A. R. Dudley.
224 Keystone—A Britton.
225 Beaver—J. Brown.
226 Prince of Wales—H. A. M. Rogers, F. R. Emerson, C. E. Whiticar, K. G. Shanks.
227 Quinte Friendship—W. M. Adams, H. J. Andrews, C. I. Frederick, J. D. McIntosh, L. A. Daugherty, W. Buskard, S. R. Coon.
230 Port Credit—N. Matheson, H. R. Warren.
231 St. Clair—J. W. Woodland, E. Sager, D. M. Kerr, E. N. Asselstine, J. F. Smith.
232 King Cyrus—W. J. Watt.
233 Oakwood—R. A. Blackmore, J. A. Cattanach, G. T. Johnson.
234 Halton—C. R. Wray.
235 Aurora—W. G. Jennings.
236 Caledonia—W. R. Featherston, T. A. Drew.
239 Blenheim—S. G. Moore, J. Mitchell, B. M. Steel, F. L. Connon.
241 University—G. O. Vogan, C. S. Gulston, C. C. White, D. W. Streith.
243 McKay—H. Daw, L. A. Spittal, C. S. Marshall.
245 Preston—C. Fotheringham.
246 Humber—M. Lapchuk, J. W. Woodland, J. H. I. Jones.
247 Nilestown—G. R. Kirby, R. G. Capener, J. A. Beattie, W. J. Millar, G. E. Noseworthy.
249 Palestine—D. R. Alldread.
250 Thomas Peter's—W. N. Moore, L. Hillis, A. Light, A. F. A. Blair, J. D. Law, H. A. Horton, L. Allan.
251 Kirkland—G. A. Goddard, R. P. Thompson, C. E. McKnight, D. G. Stuart, W. D. MacPherson, R. E. Evans.
252 HIAWATHA—D. F. Stonehouse.
253 Regal—K. R. Cooper, J. T. Hallam.
254 Golden Star—C. Fotheringham, H. O. Kellberg, B. Kalinowski, C. M. Carrothers.
255 Tillsonburg—P. B. Neale.
257 Espanola—A. H. Burk, V. Poolton.
258 Tyrian—J. A. Cattanach, S. R. Cody.
260 Centennial—W. A. McKague.
261 Seguin—D. Jackson.
263 The Scarborough—D. C. Galbraith.

NIAGARA DISTRICT No. 7 ADDRESS OF WELCOME

To the Most Excellent, the Grand First Principal, Aube L. Weisman,, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Canada in the Province of Ontario, Distinguished Guests from sister jurisdictions in Canada, the United States and representatives from other Masonic Orders:

We of Niagara District No. 7 extend a most hearty welcome. The Companions of Niagara District No. 7 have given me the distinct honour, the very great personal pleasure, but the extremely difficult task of putting into words, that will convey something of the joy and privilege that is ours in once again being your hosts for this 121st Annual Convocation of Grand Chapter, and I can only pledge that we will do all we can to make your visit amongst us, both, memorable, and profitable.

Most Excellent Sir, we of Niagara District No. 7 have, as I am sure all Districts have, profited from your capable, conscientious stewardship. We hope that you will be fortified by the sure and certain knowledge that you have given inspirational leadership, devoted service, and a warm friendly sympathetic guidance to the Royal Arch Masons of this Grand Jurisdiction, who in turn hold you in the highest regard, the greatest admiration, and the deepest affection. We fervently pray that you may be spared in health and strength to continue to lend your experience and wisdom to the cause of Capitular Masonry for this and many more years to come.

The Mayor of the City of Niagara Falls, his Worship and Companion Stanley W. Thompson, then addressed the Convocation. He expressed his pleasure that we had again chosen Niagara Falls as the Venue for our deliberations, and hoped that we would have a very successful outcome of our efforts.

COMMITTEE OF CREDENTIALS

R. Ex. Comp. Harold Ince, Chairman of the Credentials Committee, reported that there were 155 warranted Chapters on the Roll of Grand Chapter of which Chapters were represented by the following:

1 H. C. Babcock (Proxy), J. H. Cripps, A. W. Holtan, D. A. Dale, R. D. Pickell, R. L. Gostlin.

2 E. M. Marshall (Proxy), J. Neill, W. J. Curtis, A. T. Fuller, A. W. Fuller, W. Gray.

3 J. A. Sneddon (Proxy), M. W. Ragin, J. B. Gunnit, A. G. Smuck

4 J. C. Little, R. C. Edwards, W. O. H. Newton, P. Emslie, E. J. McCaw.

5 J. F. Murdoch (Proxy), E. E. Brown, R. V. West.

6 L. Levitt (Proxy), W. Maynard, N. Bales, F. Scott, P. Hirst, C. Nates, J. Douglas, A. Wilson.

7 W. Reid (Proxy), H. D. Jeffs, E. W. Harrison, H. T. Bankier, M. H. Hancock, W. A. Dempsey, E. Gray, W. J. Batchelor, R. Jones.

8 D. S. Gould, J. Lawson, H. Iince, H. Wilson (Proxy), G. Morrison, D. Armstrong, J. Wickens, P. Andras.

15 R. A. Cadwallader.

16 G. G. Fowlow, B. Gillespie, C. J. Meunier, W. Wingate, H. Burmaster, A. B. B. Sewell.

18 W. A. Weekes, O. T. Martin, A. H. Younge, J. Bromiley.

19 G. A. Campbell, J. W. Willcox, C. Downey, A. Kennedy, J. Cairns, C. A. Sankey (Proxy), M. B. R. Campbell, E. Greer, J. L. Runnalls, C. N. Porter.

20 V. Garn.

22 L. O. Walker (Proxy), G. R. Drummond.

23 M. A. Turvey, N. W. Card, J. H. Johnston (Proxy).

24 W. B. May (Proxy), P. D. Armstrong, J. L. Blom, B. A. Mennie, S. C. Wendland, W. J. O'Hara.

26 G. C. Horne, A. Mcdonald, W. Turton, F. Bowman.

27 J. A. Kilsby, L. Hanschke, W. R. Oldham.

28 W. Alexander, R. E. Temperton, R. Flutter, R. Kruger.

29 H. S. Gosling, J. Livingstone, G. Robertson, E. Stabler, R. Miller, L. Stringer.

30 S. Wheeler (Proxy), L. Boyce, L. Harrison.

31 R. Wood (Proxy), B. Carman, J. Stenning.

32 B. Bryant, F. C. Ackert, H. H. Boulter, J. F. Reynolds, J. A. Kroezen.

34 W. Storey, G. W. Campbell (Proxy), G. O. Smith, J. D. Odishaw.

35 E. Ounjian, A. Telfer, B. A. Box, J. W. Dewsbury, S. Smith.

36 J. W. Auckland, C. A. Bedford, A. A. Mortlock (Proxy), L. O. Grose, N. H. Hewitt.

37 W. F. Dickinson (Proxy), E. J. McKeever, G. B. Trew, R. J. Hughes.

40 A. C. Andrew, R. J. Scott, J. C. Boswell (Proxy), W. H. Quant.

41 J. Boniface, J. T. Mathews, J. C. Ferguson, J. Piper, F. Smith, H. R. Nagle, C. G. Swatridge (Proxy), W. C. Garratt, R. H. Cartmale, L. Monsfield, R. Stringer.

44 H. Zeran, W. Lyon (Proxy).

46 C. E. Dunseith, P. Puttock, H. Sparling.

47 R. B. Morris (Proxy), G. Ford.

48 E. Buttars, W. T. Greenhough (Proxy), W. Sutherland, G. Finnie.

53 B. Thompson (Proxy), N. Logan, W. Bradshaw, D. Johnson, T. Hayes.

54 R. Erickson, G. Jackson, W. Swindells, J. Zegers, F. Longthorne, H. Fackrell, J. Pickston.

55 B. F. Lambert, R. Irvine, E. W. Aldridge, W. Greaves, D. Weaver, A. Brown, S. B. Welstead.

56 G. Cruickshank (Proxy).

57 W. Cooper (Proxy), R. Radford.

59 M. Laushway, O. Francis, G. Gilmer, T. Parkin, B. Morrison, J. Rustin.

62 W. J. Grierson (Proxy), J. W. Pearce, A. E. Mills, G. Rennick, H. Ince.

63 J. D. MacKay, L. Moore, J. C. Cox.

64 C. R. Leuty, D. W. Neill, B. D. Penwarden, R. Fisher, N. W. Cooper.

67 H. Forbes, W. G. Speers (Proxy), F. Johnson, L. E. Morphy.

68 K. Strike, R. L. Abbitt, G. G. Purcell, G. Vandervaart.

69 J. Barich, R. McMaster, L. Lymburner, C. Brooks, G. De Quettville, E. Miller, W. Claus, C. Travis, W. Phillips.

71 T. E. Weaver (Proxy), J. D. Wilson.

72 D. Fargey, A. A. Foote.

73 P. L. Lalonde, F. H. T. Yardely, H. E. Smith, J. C. Lyttle.

74 R. McLean, C. C. Scovil, D. C. Lamond (Proxy).

75 E. Ramsbottom, H. Overend, E. F. Joyce, P. A. Barr.

76 G. McIntosh, S. Kjellstrom, R. E. Vilneff (Proxy), N. R. Dunn, T. N. Dewar, G. G. Manuel, R. Birrell, S. T. McKay, N. Farrington, R. Phillips.

77 C. W. Emmett, W. J. Boston, J. Dobson.
78 W. Hilborn, J. C. Dawson (Proxy).
79 W. Waldron, M. Clark, J. G. Hallam, A. J. Burton, G. A. Vardy, M. H. Poupart, K. A. Hunter (Proxy).
80 H. Tootill (Proxy), G. E. Turner, R. Colledge, C. Hillman.
81 W. Turner, H. Clark (Proxy), R. McKie, H. Knight, H. P. Grant, R. Sinden, L. Matlack, L. Simpson.
82 C. Miller.
83 K. Foster, C. Goodbrand, C. Easson (Proxy).
84 J. De Zeeuw (Proxy).
88 E. H. Logan ((Proxy).
91 C. Woolner, H. Sneyd, W. Sproule, R. T. Rigby, J. Hewat (Proxy), L. Dixon.
94 D. Wilson, G. Inrig, G. McCombe (Proxy), S. Tripp.
95 G. Reed ((Proxy), W. B. Walker.
102 R. A. Beaton (Proxy), W. C. Fleming, E. Price, E. McWilliams.
103 R. M. Dodgson, A. S. Haley (Proxy).
104 V. Bell, R. Parliament, W. S. Thomson, J. A. R. Shaw, S. Amos, D. Mathers, E. Reddie.
110 G. Savin, A. Bjerknes, L. Patterson, M. Durnford.
112 T. Lloyd Eady (Proxy).
113 W. B. Sixsmith (Proxy), B. Gordon.
115 E. Webster, G. Free, C. Willton, W. Ferguson (Proxy).
116 W. H. Edwards.
117 R. Oldfield, A. C. Wolfe, R. Forest-Jones, F. L. Barrett, J. Welker, J. Roderick, W. Rees, W. James.
119 D. Palmer, J. McIntyre.
129 M. Stewart (Proxy), F. Lannin, H. McGuigan, L. Sorsdahl, O. Owens, G. Sykes, L. Smith.
130 D. Moffatt (Proxy).
132 E. H. Clark.
134 T. McKean (Proxy), W. A. Axford.
135 R. B. Robinson.
138 K. G. Williamson, P. Cleal, G. T. A. Ferguson (Proxy), B. W. Spencer, W. Boston, M. Hastings, S. Maddock.
143 E. Park.
144 J. W. D. Broughton (Proxy), F. N. Lindsey, R. Chatterson.
145 D. Snow, S. Stokes, P. Engel, L. Taylor, J. N. Gerrard, T. R. Tompkins.
146 B. Steenson, B. Hastings.
149 G. Norlund (Proxy).
150 J. A. R. Atwood, E. S. Carson (Proxy), M. R. Muir, B. A. McDonald.
151 A. McKenzie, S. Bell.
152 J. Robb.
153 A. Eagleson (Proxy), G. Eagleson.
155 J. Anderson, R. Brown (Proxy), R. Hurst.
161 J. R. Gordon, H. Ashton.
167 W. Boueck, K. Morrison, L. Hamner, H. Wiese.
168 J. Meier, H. Milne.

169 J. E. Sutton, J. L. Runnals.

175 A. Watson, L. Kermarki, J. R. Dunbar, W. Baldwin, Sr., J. Crawshaw, J. A. Turner, D. A. Rogers.

184 V. Ozol, J. Foster.

195 D. Game, H. Wilby, T. Armstrong (Proxy), F. Kline, C. Gilchrist, B. S. Fowler, W. Sproule.

198 G. R. Carter, D. J. Messenger, W. L. Collett, L. F. Pickering, W. L. Patterson, G. W. Evans.

205 B. Stapley, H. Ince, D. Tozer, J. Dixon, M. Atlas, J. Bell, D. Hill (Proxy).

212 S. Edwards, H. Laywine, A. Weisman, S. Tenenbaum, J. Ross, R. Hay, C. Johns, I. Ingles, W. Boston, C. Weston, W. Carter, M. Levinter.

213 L. H. Netherton (Proxy).

214 B. Johnson (Proxy), P. Cameron, J. Randall, S. Mitchell, H. McCracken.

215 T. McLelland, P. Taylor, W. Bell (Proxy), G. H. Stuart.

217 E. Elcombe (Proxy), A. H. Baldwin, N. F. Brown.

218 C. Gillis, L. Thompson, J. A. Doney, J. A. Maudsley (Proxy).

219 S. Pilcher (Proxy), G. Hinchliff, J. Glass.

220 T. M. Davis, C. E. Houghton, R. T. Rigby, D. Kline, P. McGregor.

221 W. Crerar (Proxy), A. Dawson.

222 J. Moor, C. A. Churchill, D. E. A. Roberts, D. Lusignan, H. T. C. Humphries, C. Dale.

223 A. Nelson (Proxy).

224 T. Pocock, L. Isaacs, M. Devens, J. Cowman M. Moss, C. B. Cowman, L. F. Cunningham (Proxy).

225 F. H. Daubney (Proxy), F. W. D. Welham, J. Wallace, O. R. Roberts, W. Henshaw.

226 S. Babcock, D. Sheppard, V. Garrett, D. A. McQuaid (Proxy), W. H. Keays.

227 J. Stedman, C. A. Faulkner, B. Smith, E. L. Goodman, G. Mountford (Proxy), C. McMullen, T. S. Hay.

230 D. Burbidge.

231 H. Schmitz, R. Furness, C. W. Carter, J. Yaeger (Proxy), G. Goetz, W. S. Bain.

232 E. Barber (Proxy), J. Sheppard, J. L. Miller.

233 W. Snowdon, K. Elsie, W. Dunlop, E. W. Humphries, D. Wilson.

234 N. Carlisle, N. Butterworth, I. Noble, J. W. Long (Proxy).

235 R. B. Gray, N. Clogg, J. Charlton, R. Rickward, D. Wolffers, G. Achilles.

236 J. Aldridge, C. Matheson, A. V. Waterhouse (Proxy), L. Richardson.

238 H. Eastwood, D. Thompson, V. Hopwood, W. L. Davies, L. E. Fortner, J. Hessey (Proxy).

239 G. W. Knight, L. Guyett (Proxy), L. Sykes.

240 C. Collins, G. Jackson (Proxy), L. Richardson.

241 D. Collinson, E. S. Woodcock, O. Roy Roberts (Proxy).

242 S. M. Ellenor (Proxy).

243 J. McLucas, J. McFeeters, J. Noble, F. Checkley, L. Van Sickle, W. Kane, E. Boden, G. Boden.

245 R. Wright (Proxy).

246 A. H. Searight, K. Johnson, N. Parson, T. Wells, J. H. Bremner, G. S. Johnson, W. Dietrich, J. A. Gravelle, R. Jolly.
247 G. Neely, P. Russell, H. Hackland, R. Neely, H. Motton, D. Gent, G. Kirkpatrick, L. Gent, R. Gordon, H. Bank.
248 E. Poole, D. Jump, H. Barr.
249 M. MacKenzie, B. Bridges, B. Tink (Proxy).
250 E. Niemi, F. Long A. A. Leal (Proxy), P. Wall, R. Purdy.
252 L. S. James, D. Rawlins, G. Odett, H. Bouck, J. Brock (Proxy).
253 E. Jacques, A. Pow.
255 F. Rubie, W. Hicks, J. Petrie.
257 G. Reid.
258 S. Peterson, J. Morrall, S. Rowntree, N. Vendetti, F. C. Conley, S. Maltby.
260 G. Gahs, J. Kline, R. Stroud.
261 S. Tonkin (Proxy), C. R. Griffiths.
262 H. G. Edgar (Proxy), J. Raffin, J. Britton, J. Hobson, F. Scott.
263 A. MacLeod, R. McCauley, W. Kinnaird, J. M. Major.

REPORT OF THE CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE

The Chairman of The Credentials Committee, Rt. Ex. Comp. Harold Ince expressed his thanks to Rt. Ex. Comp. George de Quetteville who had assembled the Committee, saying what a wonderful group of men they were to work with.

He reported the following statistics:

Number of Chapters represented by Officers	90
Number of Chapters represented by Proxy)	32
Number of Chapters represented by P.Z.'s only	20
Number of Chapters represented	142
Number of Chapters not represented	13
Number of Delegates present	581
Total Number of Votes	795

All of which is respectfully submitted

(Signed) HAROLD INCE, Chairman.

(Signed) BRYAN STAPLEY, Acting Vice-Chairman.

Moved by Rt. Ex. Comp. Fred Scott, seconded by Rt. Ex. Comp. Gordon H. Stuart.

Carried.

CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

It was moved by R. Ex. Comp. G. H. Stuart, seconded by R. Ex. Comp. Scovil and carried,

"That the Proceedings of the Grand Convocation held on Tuesday to Thursday, 18, 19, 20 April, 1978, have been printed and copies sent to all Chapters of this Jurisdiction, and the Minutes of the Grand Executive Meetings sent to all members of the Grand Executive, the recorded Minutes be considered read and the same is now confirmed."

ORDER OF BUSINESS

It was moved by R. Ex. Comp. F. Scott, seconded by R. Ex. Comp. G. H. Stuart and carried,

"That the order of business of this Grand Convocation be changed at the discretion of the Grand Z."

Moved by R. Ex. Comp. G. H. Stuart, seconded by V. Ex. Comp. J. Yaeger, and carried,

"That the Per Diem Committee headed by R. Ex. Comp. Lloyd B. Gillespie as chairman pay the Per Diem to the members of the Grand Executive Committee entitled to same."

Moved by R. Ex. Comp. Stuart, seconded by R. Ex. Comp. Boston, and carried,

(a) "That R. Ex. Comp. Harold Ince be Chairman of the Credentials Committee with power to form his own Committee."

(b) "That R. Ex. Comp. George Hinchliff be Chairman of the Scrutineers with power to form his own Committee assisted by members of the Credentials Committee."

MOTION

It was moved by R. Ex. Comp. Stuart, seconded by R. Ex. Comp. Jas. Sheppard and carried,

"That the Constitution be waived and, that the Grand Convocation of the Grand Chapter of Canada in the Province of Ontario be held on 22, 23 and 24 April, 1980 at Constellation Hotel, Toronto.

GRAND REPRESENTATIVES

The Most Excellent, the Grand Z., asked the Grand Scribe E. to call the roll of Representatives near our Grand Body of Sister Jurisdictions and have them assemble before the Altar. The following Grand Representatives answered to their names at the Grand Chapter of Canada in the Province of Ontario:

ALABAMA—Earl J. McKeever.
ARGENTINA—Russell H. Brown.
ARIZONA—Edward Marshall.
AUSTRIA—Ralph Neely.
BRITISH COLUMBIA—Henry F. Motton.
COLORADO—Cyril McMullen.
DELAWARE—William J. Grierson.
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA—B. H. Smith
GEORGIA—Henry J. Edgar.
GERMANY—William H. Sproule.
GREECE—Douglas A. Argent.
IDAHO—Joseph Hessey.
IOWA—Wm. S. Thomson
IRELAND—William J. Boston
ISRAEL—Irving Ingles.
KANSAS—Allan A. Leal.
KENTUCKY—Chester J. Miller

LOUISIANA—Joseph Carson
MANITOBA—
MARYLAND—Leo J. Gent
MASSACHUSETTS—Fraser Hay
MEXICO—John C. Ferguson
MICHIGAN—Gordon H. Stuart
MINNESOTA—F. Carl Ackert
MISSISSIPPI—H. T. C. Humphries
MISSOURI—Percy MacGregor
NEVADA—V. L. Motton
NEW BRUNSWICK—George E. Turner
NEW JERSEY—Aube L. Weisman
NEW SOUTH WALES—Edward Elcombe
NEW YORK—Hallett C. Banks
NEW ZEALAND—Harold Ince
NORTH CAROLINA—W. Leslie Davies
NORTH DAKOTA—E. J. J. Jackson
NOVA SCOTIA—Leslie C. Ewener
OKLAHOMA—Leslie Levitt
OREGON—John J. Robbins
PHILLIPINES—John A. McIntyre
QUEBEC—Charles W. Emmett
QUEENSLAND—N. A. MacEachern
RHODE ISLAND—D. A. Attridge
SCOTLAND—Colin C. Kerr
SOUTH CAROLINA—Cedric C. Dale
SOUTH DAKOTA—Frederick C. Conley
TEXAS—Frederick Scott
UTAH—Lloyd B. Gillespie
VERMONT—Norman Farrington
WYOMING—E. C. Price

OATH OF OFFICE

M. Ex. Comp. F. W. D. Welham was appointed by our Grand Z. to preside at the Ceremony of the Oath of Office of the Scrutineers. This was to take place at 11:30 a.m.

M. Ex. Comp. W. H. Sproule, Immediate Past Grand Z., was requested to assume the Sceptre while our Grand Z., M. Ex. Comp. A. L. Weisman delivered his address.

GRAND FIRST PRINCIPAL'S ADDRESS — APRIL, 1979

My Companions:

The time has once again arrived to report to this Grand Jurisdiction on our progress during the preceding twelve months. We are now assembled in the beautiful city of Niagara Falls. I am sure that many will recall with deep feelings the very successful Convocation held here just two years ago.

I welcome my Companions to this, our one hundred and twenty-

first convocation. May our deliberations prove fruitful and beneficial to all assembled.

We are honoured to have with us M. Wor. Bro. and Rt. Ex. Comp. George E. Turner representing our Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Canada. We welcome you, Most Worshipful Sir, and request you to convey to our Grand Master our expression of loyalty.

I have much pleasure in welcoming the honoured guests of our sister jurisdictions from within Canada and from across our international boundaries. I am also pleased to welcome those sovereign bodies who are part of our Masonic order. I trust that your sojourn with us will prove to be filled with profit and pleasure.

APPRECIATION

To the Companions of Niagara District No. 7, I express my gratitude for the arrangements which have enabled us to gather here for our annual deliberations. Rt. Ex. Comp. Norman Farrington has assembled an outstanding group of Royal Arch Masons to assist with this one hundred and twenty-first convocation. No effort has been spared for our enjoyment and comfort brought to fruition at this very successful Convocation. I include in my appreciation our thanks for the excellent program which has been prepared for the entertainment of our Ladies while we are attending to the business of our Grand Chapter.

I express the appreciation of your Grand Chapter for the generous hospitality extended to your Grand First Principal during our visits to our sister jurisdictions.

I am especially grateful to our Past Grand First Principals who so unselfishly continue to give of their services to our Grand Chapter. Most Ex. Comp. Charles Emmett, Chairman of the Office Management Committee, as well as Chairman of our Education & Guidance Committee and the Finance Committee has been of oustanding support to me, as well as to the many Chapters that have asked for his services. His talent in the preparation of the annual budget and supervision of the expenditures, keeps our Grand Chapter finances on a very efficient basis.

The continual request for by-law changes has again been very demanding. Each request for change is examined, studied and dealt with separately. M. Ex. Comp. Wm. S. Thomson, Grand Lecturer and Chairman of the Laws and Jurisprudence Committee ably assisted by the members of his committee have faithfully performed these important duties.

M. Ex. Comp. William Sproule, my predecessor, has always been readily available with advice and assistance at all times.

My gratitude is also extended to all Past Grand First Principals whose offers of help were ever present.

The investments of this Grand Chapter are under the dutiful care of M. Ex. Comp. Fraser Hay. Under such careful supervision our investment portfolio continues to improve.

The members of my council have been very active throughout this past year. Rt. Ex. Comp. Fred Scott, Grand H., and Rt. Ex. Comp. Gordon Stuart, Grand J., have assisted me by accepting many assignments, enabling us to divide the many requests for our presence throughout this jurisdiction.

To the elected and appointed Officers I express my gratitude for their support during this past year. All members of the executive have faithfully discharged their responsibility with benefit to our Grand Chapter.

The reports of the Grand Superintendents have been received. It will be found noteworthy that although there are some incidences of problems within certain Chapters, all Superintendents report favourable progress in their districts. I commend them for their zeal and the assiduity with which they have faithfully discharged the duties of their offices.

The reports of the Grand Superintendents have been reviewed and a detailed report presented by the Committee on the Condition of Capitular Masonry and the summary will be printed in the annual Proceedings.

The committees of this Grand Chapter have discharged their duties with keen devotion. Every member of each committee has served with determination, keeping their special responsibilities in mind. Where budgets were involved, everyone was conscious of adhering to the required limitations. The committee reports will be found in the printed proceedings.

The Committee for the Revision and Editing of the Work have completed their long and arduous task by revising the manuals of installation and instruction to conform with the newly revised work. On behalf of our entire jurisdiction, I express our gratitude to Rt. Ex. Comp. Maarten van Wamelen, Chairman, and all the members of his committee for the exercise of such exemplary diligence in the discharge of their duties.

Membership continues to be high on our list of Priorities. Many Chapters have active committees dealing with the acquisition of new Companions and the results listed in the statistical returns give evidence of their efforts. However, of equal importance is the retention of Companions who are now members of our Chapters. This past year the admissions, affiliations, and restorations totalled 723 — we lost 429 by death, and 384 by demits and suspensions. This left a net loss of 90. The annual report of the demits and suspensions is of great concern. It appears that the foregoing, when added to the annual total of deaths, neutralizes the yearly gain of new members.

I am pleased to single out Palestine Chapter No. 54, St. Thomas, and Mount Sinai Chapter No. 212, Toronto, for the special efforts being made to have all new candidates be admitted as life members. For this reason I continue to recommend that serious consideration be given to bringing new applicants into our Chapters as life members. The same should apply to affiliations and restorations.

The privilege of life membership should be brought to the attention of all Companions and every encouragement given to them to this end. At the present time 12.84% of our membership are commuted life members. The number of commuted life members is now 2299 — an increase of 159 over previous year. The benefits of such an outgoing program are self evident.

Life membership funds must be placed in a special account and only the interest may be transferred to the general funds. The principal monies in the life membership accounts must remain intact and not removed or transferred.

It will not be our intention to interfere with the financial conduct of the Chapters but to maintain a watchful vigilance on the life membership funds and investments.

Should any further information or explanation be required I ask that such questions be directed to the Scribe E. of your Chapter or the Grand Scribe E.

There are many Companions who have volunteered their services,

time and efforts whenever they were needed to assist Chapters that were having difficulties in conducting their affairs. Many Chapters' problems centred around the fact that the average age of their members was rising and some Principals have repeated terms in the chairs. These situations generally reflect problems such as officer recruitment and the obtaining of new members.

To those Companions who have volunteered as associate members and in some cases affiliated into those Chapters, I express the gratitude of this Grand Jurisdiction. Of the Chapters that have been assisted, the majority have shown marked improvement. Undoubtedly some problems will continue, however, with the continuing support of our Companions we shall persevere.

We continue the practice of sending individual letters commending the sponsors of applicants for their continuing interest in our Holy Royal Arch. We also send congratulatory letters welcoming all new Companions into our Royal Craft. Both of these programmes have brought us many interesting letters complimenting this direct contact with our Companions indicating their appreciation of this correspondence.

The M. Ex. Comp. William S. Thomson trophy for the highest percentage increase in a Chapter's membership is this year awarded to Aylmer Chapter No. 81 with an increase of 24.05%. Runners up were Midland Chapter No. 94, St. John's Chapter No. 103, Mt. Horeb Chapter No. 20 and Caledonia Chapter No. 236.

The Chapter summons is the most important line of communication between the Officers and its Companions. It is also an excellent medium for including news about the Companions.

Most summonses are well prepared and contain a timely message from the First Principal of the Chapter. However, I still receive a number of summonses with no message and much blank space. It appears to be a great waste, to print and mail these summonses and miss the opportunity to communicate with our Companions.

The film, The Saga of the Holy Royal Arch, has been well received by all who have viewed it. This film was originally presented to this Grand Chapter by M. Ex. Comp. Wm. S. Thomson. A second copy of this film has been obtained and now both sets are continually in use. The showing of these films is in the charge of Rt. Ex. Comp. Leslie Levitt. Every District and Chapter should arrange to have this film seen by their Companions and Craft Lodge Brethren in their area.

We have received correspondence from the Grand Chapter of Quebec that the Tremoy Chapter No. 26 of their Jurisdiction had surrendered it's charter. The Tremoy Chapter No. 26 was located in an isolated area of Northern Quebec, some 300 miles from the neaerst sister Chapter. This area is much closer to Kirkland Chapter No. 251 in our Temiskaming District No. 16.

I recommend that the Committee of Laws and Jurisprudence along with the Grand Council arrive at an amicable solution with the Grand Chapter of Quebec.

There is, in our constitution, a procedure for dealing with the suspension of members for non-payment of dues. Such resident members must be interviewed by a special committee appointed by the First Principal of the Chapter and report back to the First Principal. I recommend that the attached form (Appendix A) become an integral part of the report of that committee, and the same to apply for any request for a demit.

It is always with sorrow that we must report the loss of some

of our Companions to the Grand Chapter above. This year it is my sad duty to notify this assembly that 429 Companions have passed through the portals from which there is no return.

We were especially saddened to learn on January 12th of the passing of M. Ex. Comp. James E. Girven in St. Petersburg, Florida. On January 15th, accompanied by M. Ex. Comp. Charles Emmett and Rt. Ex. Comp. Robert Rigby, acting Grand Scribe E., we travelled to Peterborough, Ontario, where we were joined by Rt. Ex. Comp. Fred Scott, Grand H. and M. Ex. Comp. Leo Gent and there attended the Masonic Service held at the Comstock Funeral Home. The next day M. Ex. Comp. Charles Emmett, M. Ex. William Thomson, M. Ex. Comp. Wm. Sproule, Rt. Ex. Comp. Fred Scott, Rt. Ex. Comp. Gordon Stuart and Rt. Ex. Comp. Fred Conley together with our local Companions represented the Grand Chapter at the church funeral service. Our condolences and sympathy were conveyed to Mrs. Girven and the family. A contribution was made in Most Excellent Companion Girven's memory to the Grand Chapter Bursary Fund.

I am very pleased to acknowledge the cordial relations between our Grand Chapter and Grand Lodge as well as the many other Masonic Bodies. My predecessors in office have consistently supported the resolution that the fullest co-operation should exist between all Grand Bodies. I most earnestly support these Grand Principles. I urge all our Companions to utilize their best efforts to assist their Craft Lodge to the best of their ability. It is most gratifying that a large number of our Excellent Companions have returned to serve in their Craft Lodges after having performed the duties of Excellent First Principals in their respective Chapters.

And of course, there is a very gratifying and satisfactory exchange when we see Past Masters, who, having served their lodges, progress into our R.A. Chapters and ascend through the chairs to become First Principals.

This progression bodes well for our Masonic institution.

I believe it would be in the best interest of our Grand jurisdiction to have a special recognition awarded to all First Principals having served the full term upon their leaving the chair of First Principal of their Chapter. I recommend that a certificate (Appendix B) be struck and presented to such retiring First Principals.

On Dec. 8th we were privileged to travel to Guelph Chapter No. 40 to fulfill the appointment instituted by my predecessor, M. Ex. Comp. Sproule. Accompanied by a very great number of present and past Grand Chapter Officers and supported by many Guelph Chapter members and visitors, we performed the ceremony of installing our Deputy Grand Master Rt. Worshipful Brother N. Richard Richards through the chairs of J., H., and Z., and confirmed Ex. Comp. Richards as a Past Principal.

At this same convocation I was pleased to authorize, with the support and advice of my council and advisory committee and recommended by our benevolent committee, a contribution to the H.E.L.P. program of the Grand Lodge of Canada. In this connection at that Convocation, M. Ex. Comp. Charles Emmett and Rt. Ex. Comp. Carl Ackert presented to Rt. Wor. Brother and Ex. Comp. Richards, Vice-Chairman, H.E.L.P. program, a cheque in the amount of $1,000.00. In his remarks and subsequent correspondence, the Deputy Grand Master was most complimentary to our Grand Chapter.

We were also privileged that same evening to see the investiture of M. Wor. Bro. Eric Nancekivell with his regalia as a Grand Senior

Sojourner. This was performed by M. Ex. Comp. William Thomson who conferred the appointment.

There were a number of international events during the year which commanded world-wide attention. Letters of sympathy were sent to the Vatican upon the death of Pope Paul XI and shortly thereafter upon the passing of his successor Pope John Paul I; we forwarded a letter of congratulation to the newly elected Pope John Paul II.

In November we sent letters of congratulation to President Sadat of Egypt and Prime Minister Begin of Israel on their being awarded the Nobel Peace Prize.

A letter of sympathy was sent to Israel on the death of former Prime Minister Golda Meier.

In all of these instances, replies were received.

We have been advised of the formation of a Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons of Greece. Steps are being taken to follow-up their request for recognition and exchange of representatives.

The Committee for Distinguished Service Awards has this year approved four awards of this special jewel. I am pleased to extend the congratulations of this Grand Chapter to:

Companion Charles Wilson McIlraith, Quinte Friendship Chapter No. 227

Companion John Edward Simms, Seguin Chapter No. 261.

Companion William Wilson Wright, King David Chapter No. 262

Companion John Hodginson Durnan, Scarborough Chapter No. 263.

May they be granted good health and long life to enjoy providence's greatest blessings.

RECOMMENDATIONS

During this past year a number of by-law changes were approved changing the election and installation dates of certain Chapters. Because these changes reduced the length of time served by their First Principal, I recommend that title of Past Principal be confirmed on the following:

Ex. Comp. Williard Abbe, Georgian Chapter No. 56,

Ex. Comp. Edward G. Conyers, Ulster Chapter No. 219,

Ex. Comp. Raymond Furness, The St. Clair No. 231.

A request has been received from Hiawatha Chapter No. 252—Ex. Comp. Peter B. Carr had served as First Principal from January, 1978 to September 1978, at which time he moved to Edmonton. I therefore recommend that the rank of Past Z. be confirmed on him.

A special situation arose in Prince Edward Chapter No. 218 where Ex. Comp. Reverend Robert McLaren had been serving as First Principal when he died just a few days before the end of his term. I therefore recommend the rank of Past Z. be granted posthumously. I request your approval in these recommendations.

In the month of October we were notified by our Grand Scribe E., Rt. Ex. Comp. Fred Conley, of his wish to retire. We accepted his kind offer to carry on to Nov. 30, and to continue with such assistance as may be needed thereafter. His contribution to our Grand Jurisdiction was manifold, having served our Grand Chapter under six Grand First Principals. His continuous correspondence with the Scribes E. of our Chapters has enabled us to keep up a most efficient set of records in our office. His years of service will ever be appreciated by this Grand Chapter and all of its Companions.

On November 30th, Tyrian Chapter No. 258 tendered a retirement dinner in his honor at the York Masonic Temple which was filled to overflowing. A fitting tribute to such a distinguished Mason.

We were very fortunate to obtain the services of Rt. Ex. Comp. Robert Rigby, a past Grand Superintendent, who had recently retired from the company where he had served for twenty-nine years. On Dec. 1st, 1978, I appointed R. Ex. Comp. Robert Rigby, Acting Grand Scribe E.

I called on M. Ex. Comp. Charles Emmett to arrange for the transfer of duties and responsibilities which I am happy to report were most properly effected.

In acknowledging the great contribution made by R. Ex. Comp. Fred Conley to Masonry in general, and our Grand Jurisdiction in particular, I recommend the appointment of Rt. Ex. Comp. Fred Conley to the position of Grand Scribe E. Emeritus of the Grand Chapter of Canada in the Province of Ontario, and in this I ask your approval.

The response to our pilgrimage to the Holy Land has been very gratifying, and I am certain we shall have a most memorable visit. Future inquiries may be directed to my office.

This report would be incomplete without acknowledging the outstanding contribution to Grand Chapter by our very efficient office personnel, we very gratefully express our appreciation to Rt. Ex. Comp. Fred Conley, Rt. Ex. Comp. Robert Rigby, and our secretary, Mrs. Rose Kelly.

The year just past started with high hopes. To a large extent those hopes have been and are being fulfilled. Much has been accomplished, but we still have a long way to go.

We should try to make each day an advancement in our Masonic life.

May the Most High in whom we place our unbounded devotion and faith, lead and guide us in the direction of right.

May we be imbued with the knowledge and insight to better serve our fellow men and our country.

FRATERNAL DEAD — 1978

To our Sister Jurisdictions in the Dominion of Canada, The British Commonwealth of Nations and the United States of America and to all Fraternal Bodies in correspondence with our Grand Chapter, our hand of sincere sympathy nd understanding is extended in the loss of many of their Distinguished Companions. R. Ex. Comp. Coster Scovil, Chairman of Fraternal Dead, has already given a fitting Memorial.

To our Sister Jurisdictions in the Dominion of Canada, The British Commonwealth of Nations and the United States of America, we extend sincere sympathy for the loss of their distinguished Companions.

GRAND CHAPTER OF ROYAL ARCH MASONS OF ALBERTA
Frank Leroy Colwell
Norman Edward Scheer

GRAND ROYAL ARCH MASONS OF INDIANA
Robert Ingall

GRAND CHAPTER OF ROYAL ARCH MASONS OF NEW BRUNSWICK
Albert C. Lemmon

GRAND CHAPTER OF ROYAL ARCH MASONS OF THE UNITED STATES OF MEXICO
Alexander George Wygard

GRAND ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER OF SOUTH CAROLINA
Henry Fitzhugh Collins
Hugh Nettles Layne

GRAND ROYAL ARCH MASONS OF TENNESSEE
George Adams Peters

SUPREME GRAND CHAPTER OF VICTORIA (AUSTRALIA)
Norman Llewellyn Brunt

GRAND CHAPTER OF ROYAL ARCH MASONS OF WYOMING
Lincoln W. Sexton
Irving E. Clark

Of these Companions who answered the call to Higher Service, the following held Grand Chapter Rank:

Chapter No.	
1	V. Ex. Comp. William Bruce Sutherland
16	V. Ex. Comp. Archibald B. Casselman
36	M. Ex. Comp. James E. Girven
59	V. Ex. Comp. George Berton Carley
75	R. Ex. Comp. Robert John Hamilton
82	V. Ex. Comp. Milton Wesley Pearce
82	V. Ex. Comp. Eric Stefan Pearson
82	R. Ex. Comp. Carl Axel Hellstrom
82	R. Ex. Comp. George Blanchard
133	R. Ex. Comp. George Albert Phillips
146	R. Ex. Comp. William Sanford Donaldson
161	R. Ex. Comp. Thomas Chapman Lloyd
175	R. Ex. Comp. James Hilton Rogers
198	R. Ex. Comp. Malcolm Alexander MacDonald
213	R. Ex. Comp. Charles Peter Ramsay
213	R. Ex. Comp. Frank Wills
217	V. Ex. Comp. Frederick Clinckett
218	V. Ex. Comp. James Clifford McGhee
231	R. Ex. Comp. James Woodland
250	R. Ex. Comp. Walter Norman Moore

GRAND Z. ITINERARY 1978-79

24 June—Grand Superintendents Workshop, Pentalpha Chapter No. 28, Oshawa.

18 Sept.—The Mount Moriah Lodge No. 727, Brampton, Fraternal Award Night.

23 Sept.—Grand Executive Meeting, Wingham, Ontario, Centennial Banquet & Dance, Lebanon Chapter No. 84.

24 Sept.—Divine Service, Wingham.

30 Sept.—Reception, Dinner-Dance, Mount Sinai Chapter No. 212, King Edward Hotel, Toronto.

12 Oct.—The St. Clair Chapter No. 231, Richmond Hill, Installation.

21 Oct.—Kichikewana Chapter No. 167, Midland, Ladies' Night.

24 Oct.—Port Credit Chapter No. 230, Gordon Jackson Night.

25 Oct.—Reception Hamilton District, Dinner and Dance, Hamilton Masonic Temple.

30 Nov.—Reception for R. Ex. Comp. F. C. Conley, York Temple, Toronto, Ontario.

8 Dec.—Guelph Chapter No 40, Investiture Rt. Wor. Bro. Richards, Deputy Grand Master as Past Principal; M. Wor. Bro. Eric Nancekivell as a Grand Senior Sojourner.

11, 12, 13 Dec.—Grand Chapter of Massachusetts, Convocation.

6 Jan.—Peel Chapter No. 195, Brampton, Installation, Dinner and Dance.

20 Jan.—Thomas Peters Chapter No. 250, Windsor, 50th Anniversary; Installation, Dinner and Dance.

24 Jan.—Ulster Chapter No. 219, Burns Night, Weston Temple.

27 Jan.—Grand Convocation Committee Meeting, Niagara Falls.

29 Jan.—Toronto District 8 and 8A, Principals Association Dinner and Meeting.

1, 2, 3 Mar.—Grand Chapter of New York Convocation, Albany, New York.

10 Mar.—Mount Moriah Lodge No. 727, Ladies' Night, Bramalea Legion Hall.

28 Mar.—Toronto District Reception for the Grand Master, Inn On The Park, Banquet.

29 Mar.—Unity Lodge No. 710, Brampton, Speaker.

30 Mar.—Hamilton Districts Reception for Grand Master, Banquet.

31 Mar.—Ottawa District Royal Arch Ball, Arnprior, Ontario.

6-7 Apr.—Grand Chapter Rhode Island, Convocation.

26, 27, 28 April—Grand Chapter Convocation, Niagara Falls, Ont.

DISPENSATIONS ISSUED FROM 1 MARCH, 1978—28 FEB., 1979

Change Night of Convocation	55
To Hold Ladies' Night	16
To Hold Annual Dinner and Ball	6
To Hold 70th Anniversary Dinner and Dance	1
To Hold Fall Dance	1
To Confer M.M.M. Degree in another Chapter	8
To Confer H.R.A. Degree in another Chapter	1
To Cancel a Convocation	1
To Hold a Barbecue and Dance	1
Open Chapter Early	14
To Hold a Steak Fry	1
To Hold a Joint Convocation	2
To Change Installation Night	8
To Change Election Night	4
To Hold a Divine Service	12
To Hold a Master Mason's Night	4
To Hold an Emergent Convocation	2
To Hold a Craft Night	1
Special Convocation Night for Brother	1
Monte Carlo Night — Proceeds for Bursary	1
To Hold Joint Installation	9
To Change Location of Convocation	1
To Dispense With Business Portion of Meeting	1
To Hold Christmas Observance Service in Ch. Room	1

To Hold Community Picnic	1
To Hold a Strawberry Social	2
To Hold a Fund Raising Dance	1
To Dispense with 1 Meeting	1
Fraternal Visit outside Jurisdiction	1
To Hold Robert Burns Night	1
To Hold Assoc. Principals Night	1
To Hold a Fish and Chip Night	1
To Hold "Family Night" at Emergent Convocation	1
To Admit Bro. unable to kneel as Member	1
To Admit Bro. with left arm amputated as Member	1
Scribe N. to 2nd Principal	1
Princ. Sojourner to 2nd Principal	2
3rd Principal to 1st Principal	2
2nd Principal to 1st Principal	4

BY-LAWS

The following Chapters requested change in their By-laws and were approved in the period 1 March, 1978 - 28 February, 1979:

No.	Chapter	No.	Chapter
2	The Hiram	153	Sombra
4	St. Andrew and St. John	175	The Hamilton
8	King Solomon's	195	Peel
15	Wawanosh	212	Mount Sinai
16	Carleton	218	Prince Edward
28	Pentalpha	219	Ulster
30	Huron	223	Abitibi
32	Waterloo	225	Beaver
47	Wellington	227	Quinte Friendship
48	St. John's, Cobourg	230	Port Credit
56	Georgian	231	St. Clair
62	York	234	Halton
64	Willson	236	Caledonia
69	Grimsby	241	University
91	Toronto Antiquity	245	Preston
134	King Darius	251	Kirkland
135	Succoth	252	Hiawatha
138	Shekinah	254	Golden Star
145	The St. Patrick	263	The Scarborough
151	Laurentian		

PRESENTATION OF JEWELS

1 January, 1978 - 28 February, 1979

70 Year Numeral

No.	Chapter
5	St. George's, London—Comp. Ray Lawson, Pres. in White Oak 104.

60 Year Numeral

No.	Chapter
91	Toronto Antiquity—Comp. Kalil Saba, Comp. C. N. Appleton, Comp. H. C. Bliss.

50 Year Past Principal's Bar

No.	Chapter
18	Oxford—V. Ex. Comp. R. D. McKenzie.
73	Erie—Ex. Comp. R. C. McCutcheon.
146	Bernard—Ex. Comp. S. J. Coghlin.
214	Vimy—Ex. Comp. H. G. Lawes.
230	Port Credit—R. Ex. Comp. G. B. Jackson, 50 yrs. P. Gr. Supt.

50 Years a Royal Arch Mason

No.	Chapter
1	Ancient Frontenac & Cataraqui—Comp. J. C. Cornelius, Comp. O. A. Dodson.
3	St. John's, London—Ex. Comp. Roy Coon.
4	St. Andrew & St. John—Comp. F. S. Phillips.
5	St. George's—Comp. J. G. Morrison.
15	Wawanosh—R. Ex. Comp. J. W. Christon.
16	Carleton—Comp. J. A. Chisholm, Ex. Comp. W. B. Kelley.
18	Oxford—Comp. A. W. Cole, V. Ex. Comp. G. K. Mansell.
19	Mount Moriah—Comp. F. Allen, Comp. A. Overholt.
22	Grenville—Ex. Comp. C. R. van Camp.
26	St. Mark's—Comp. O. M. Newton.
27	Manitou—Ex. Comp. V. A. Ellis, Comp. H. W. Brown.
36	Corinthian—M. Ex. Comp. J. E. Girven
40	Guelph—Comp. J. Walker.
44	Mount Sinai, Napanee—Comp. L. B. Mellow.
47	Wellington—V. Ex. Comp. M. E. Morgan, R. Ex. Comp. W. J. Haydon.
53	Bruce—V. Ex. Comp. R. M. Story.
55	Niagara—Comp. P. V. Woodruff, Comp. G. M. Logan.
72	Keystone, Stirling—Ex. Comp. W. I. Eggleton.
75	St. Clair, Milton—V. Ex. Comp. E. Harrop.
76	Mount Nebo—Comp. E. A. Jones.
88	MacNabb—Ex. Comp. E. W. Slaght.
91	Toronto-Antiquity—V. Ex. Comp. John A. Hewat, Comp. G. C. Wardell, Comp. E. G. Heinbecker.
94	Midland—Ex. Comp. P. D. Windrim.
95	Tuscan—Comp. F. C. Fielding.
102	Algonquin—Comp. W. Calvert.
114	Bonnechere—Comp. N. E. Lindsay, Comp. L. J. Fraser.
117	Kitchener—Comp. I. H. Tucker.
133	St. Francis—R. Ex. Comp. J. Carpenter.
135	Succoth—V. Ex. Comp. M. F. Veitch.
138	Shekinah—Ex. Comp. H. C. Kendall.
145	The St. Patrick—V. Ex. Comp. W. Pomeroy, Comp. G. W. MacKenzie.
146	Bernard—Comp. R. Oke.
151	Laurentian—Ex. Comp. T. A. Brown.
198	Couchiching—R. Ex. Comp. B. H. Price.
212	Mount Sinai—V. Ex. Comp. S. J. Sword.
224	Keystone, Hamilton—Comp. J. S. Hayworth, Ex. Comp. H. Little, Ex. Comp. F. Barlow.
227	Quinte Friendship—Comp. T. A. Simpson, Comp. F. M. Clarke, Comp. S. D. Hagerman, Comp. K. C. Matthews, Comp. J. E. Bateman, R. Ex. Comp. M. R. Anderson.
231	St. Clair, Toronto—Comp. L. Huston, V. Ex. Comp. John Inglis.
235	Aurora—Ex. Comp. H. S. Bunn.
238	The St. Andrew—V. Ex. Comp. A. V. Sedgewick, Ex. Comp. W. F. Bailey, Ex. Comp. J. S. Parker.

239 Blenheim—Comp. M. B. Rigby.
246 Humber—Comp. G. H. Barker.
249 Palestine, Bowmanville—Ex. Comp. W. R. Strike.
252 Hiawatha—Comp. J. H. Strachan.

For 25 Years Installed First Principal

No.	Chapter
2	The Hiram—V. Ex. Comp. D. G. Horne.
3	St. John's—R. Ex. Comp. J. W. Gough, V. Ex. Comp. E. H. Malton
4	St. Andrew & St. John—Ex. Comp. P. Emslie.
5	St. George's—R. Ex. Comp. A. W. Ayre.
16	Carleton—V. Ex. Comp. G. F. Garrioch.
18	Oxford—R. Ex. Comp. G. Nutt.
19	Mount Moriah—V. Ex. Comp. J. L. Runnalls.
26	St. Mark's—Ex. Comp. D. A. Haines, R. Ex. Comp. H. F. Burke.
28	Pentalpha—Ex. Comp. J. F. Riley, Ex. Comp. H. J. Wells.
31	Prince Edward—Ex. Comp. C. S. Slack.
34	Signet—R. Ex. Comp. Blake Lamont, Ex. Comp. F. Shannon.
36	Corinthian—Ex. Comp. D. T. Crawford, V. Ex. Comp. N. H. Hewitt.
40	Guelph—V. Ex. Comp. G. H. Moss, Ex. Comp. Thomas Holbrook.
46	St. James—Ex. Comp. H. R. Alberta.
47	Wellington—Ex. Comp. F. W. Boyle, V. Ex. Comp. E. R. Best.
48	St. John's, Cobourg—Ex. Comp. F. L. Searancke.
55	Niagara—Ex. Comp. F. S. Goring.
63	Havelock—Ex. Comp. K. M. Johnston.
67	Enterprise—Ex. Comp. A. McGugan.
72	Keystone—Ex. Comp. H. S. Hagerman, Ex. Comp. W. I. Eggleton.
75	St. Clair, Milton—Ex. Comp. J. E. Hartley.
76	Mount Nebo—Ex. Comp. J. K. Newns.
77	Occident—R. Ex. Comp. E. K. Hogaboom.
79	Orient—Ex. Comp. J. Forsyth.
82	Shuniah—Ex. Comp. C. W. Brinkworth.
88	MacNabb—V. Ex. Comp. H. M. Dunlop.
94	Midland—Ex. Comp. R. W. Price.
102	Algonquin—R. Ex. Comp. E. C. Price.
103	St. John's, North Bay—Ex. Comp. H. S. Barber.
114	Bonnechere—Ex. Comp. G. A. Tweedy, Ex. Comp. K. E. Parks.
117	Kitchener—Ex. Comp. I. R. Marshall.
119	King Cyrus, Leamington—Ex. Comp. H. P. Lynn.
130	Chantry—V. Ex. Comp. W. H. Gorrell.
134	King Darius—V. Ex. Comp. E. C. White.
135	Succoth—Ex. Comp. H. D. Skerrat, Ex. Comp. J. D. Hill.
149	Atwood—R. Ex. Comp. A. E. MacLean, Ex. Comp. S. C. Vennes, Ex. Comp. P. A. Parker.
155	Ancaster—Ex. Comp. J. H. Lindsay.
167	Kichikedwana—Ex. Comp. L. W. Watson.
168	Ionic—R. Ex. Comp. E. J. Meier.
184	Hugh Murray—V. Ex. Comp. S. Thornley.
198	Couchiching—Ex. Comp. C. Dobson, Ex. Comp. J. H. Page, Ex. Comp. W. Varley, Ex. Comp. R. Skinner.
214	Vimy—Ex. Comp. S. McAusland.
218	Prince Edward—Ex. Comp. W. Pacey.
219	Ulster—V. Ex. Comp. E. G. Anthony.
220	Lebanon—Ex. Comp. H. Miller.
224	Keystone, Hamilton—Ex. Comp. H. Little, Ex. Comp. C. Dean, Ex. Comp. F. Barlow, Ex. Comp. W. H. Britton.
226	Prince of Wales—Ex. Comp. C. D. Wallace, Ex. Comp. J. B. Hands.

227 Quinte Friendship—R. Ex. Comp. C. A. Batt, Ex. Comp. J. A. Ireland.
233 Oakwood—Ex. Comp. F. J. Ackland.
234 Halton—Ex. Comp. A. Hunter.
236 Caledonia—R. Ex. Comp. C. K. Matteson.
241 University—R. Ex. Comp. H. R. Cantelon.
249 Palestine—Ex. Comp. W. H. Gibson.
250 Thomas Peters—Ex. Comp. A. W. MacMillan.
252 Hiawatha—Ex. Comp. F. S. Burwell.
253 Regal—Ex. Comp. O. W. Sutor.

CONTRIBUTIONS MADE TO THE BURSARY FUND BY INDIVIDUALS AND GROUPS

1 March 1978 - 28 February, 1979

Drury
Burbidge
T. P. Wells
Dinsmore
Robbins
Emmett
Walker
Gent
McKenzie
K. Elsie
Richards
Sankey
Ottawa Masonic Corp.
Simpson
Mrs. Simpson
Washington
C. C. Stroud
W. Ferguson
Mansell
King)
Taylor)
Harrington Conclave
Dist. 7
G. T. Ferguson
M. Levinter
Miss D. Hay
Preceptory 38
G. A. Down
R.P.C. 8A

CHAPTER CONTRIBUTING TO KEYSTONE & BURSARY FUNDS

1 March 1978 - 28 February, 1979

No.	Chapter	Keystone	Bursary
1	Ancient Frontenac & Cataraqui	X	X
2	The Hiram	X	X
5	St. George's		X
7	The Moira	X	X
16	Carleton	X	X
18	Oxford	X	X
19	Mount Moriah	X	X
22	Grenville	X	
23	Ezra	X	X
24	Tecumseh		X
27	Manitou	X	X
28	Pentalpha		X
29	McCallum		X
30	Goderich	X	
31	Prince Edward	X	
32	Waterloo	X	
35	Keystone	X	X
36	Corinthian		X
37	Victoria		X

No.	Chapter	Keystone	Bursary
45	Excelsior	X	
53	Bruce	X	X
54	Palestine	X	
55	Niagara	X	X
56	Georgian		X
57	King Hiram	X	X
59	Sussex St. Lawrence	X	
64	Willson	X	X
66	Malloch	X	
69	Grimsby		X
71	Prince of Wales	X	
72	Keystone	X	
73	Erie	X	
75	The St. Clair	X	
76	Mount Nebo	X	X
77	Occident		X
78	Minnewawa	X	X
80	Ark	X	
81	Aylmer	X	X
82	Shuniah	X	X
88	MacNabb	X	
90	Golden	X	
91	Toronto Antiquity	X	X
94	Midland	X	X
95	Tuscan	X	X
102	Algonquin	X	X
103	St. John's	X	
104	White Oak	X	
113	Covenant	X	
114	Bonnechere	X	
119	King Cyrus	X	
129	Elliot	X	
130	Chantry	X	
131	Amabel	X	
133	St. Francis	X	X
134	King Darius	X	X
138	Shekinah	X	X
140	Fort William	X	
146	Bernard	X	X
149	Atwood	X	X
150	London	X	
151	Laurentian	X	X
155	Ancaster	X	X
167	Kichikewana	X	
168	Ionic	X	X
169	Temiskaming	X	
175	The Hamilton	X	
184	Hugh Murray	X	X
195	Peel	X	X
198	Couchiching	X	
205	Victoria	X	X

No.	Chapter	Keystone	Bursary
210	Kitchener	X	
212	Mount Sinai		X
213	Northern Lights	X	
214	Vimy		X
215	Mimico	X	X
218	Prince Edward	X	
219	Ulster	X	X
220	Lebanon	X	X
221	Durham	X	
222	Ottawa		X
223	Abitibi	X	
224	Keystone		X
226	Prince of Wales		X
227	Quinte Friendship	X	X
230	Port Credit		X
231	St. Clair		X
232	King Cyrus	X	X
233	Oakwood		X
235	Aurora	X	
236	Caledonia	X	X
238	The St. Andrew	X	
239	Blenheim	X	X
241	University	X	
243	McKay		X
246	Humber		X
249	Palestine	X	X
251	Kirkland	X	
255	Tillsonburg		X
259	Quetico	X	X
260	Centennial		X
261	Seguin	X	
262	King David	X	X
Ruling Principal Council 8A		X	

ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE — CHAPTERS

To the M. Ex. The Grand Z., Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Canada, in the Province of Ontario.

No.	Name of Chapter	Charges	Dr.	Cr.
1	Ancient Frontenac & Cataraqui	398.75		
2	The Hiram	247.00		
3	St. John's, London	537.00	$ 1.00	
4	St. Andrew & St. John	221.60		$ 32.40
5	St. George's	506.00		
6	St. John's, Hamilton	627.00		
7	The Moira	410.00	11.00	
8	King Solomon's	425.50		
15	Wawanosh	621.60	1.75	
16	Carleton	1,255.00		9.00
18	Oxford	595.75	.50	
19	Mount Moriah	324.75	1.00	
20	Mount Horeb	178.95	9.00	
22	Grenville	226.00	1.00	
23	Ezra	245.00		
24	Tecumseh	391.50		21.00
26	St. Mark's	220.00		
27	Manitou	233.00		
28	Pentalpha	391.00		212.60
29	McCallum	186.00		4.00
30	Huron	332.00		
31	Prince Edward	316.00		
32	Waterloo	518.00	70.00	
34	Signet	404.00	4.00	
35	Keystone, Whitby	324.00		11.50
36	Corinthian	804.00	21.50	
37	Victoria, Port Hope	224.00	12.50	
40	Guelph	366.20		
41	Harris	201.00		
44	Mount Sinai, Napanee	232.00		
45	Excelsior	102.00		
46	St. James	149.00		
47	Wellington	256.25	107.25	
48	St. John's, Cobourg	299.20	7.20	
53	Bruce	183.75		
54	Palestine, St. Thomas	678.00		
55	Niagara	196.00		
56	Georgian	136.00		10.00
57	King Hiram	304.00	10.00	
59	Sussex-St. Lawrence	570.00		
61	Granite	136.00	10.00	
62	York	281.50	132.00	
63	Havelock	150.00		
64	Wilson	244.25		1.00
66	The Malloch	285.75	47.00	
67	Enterprise	254.00		
68	Maitland	173.75	70.25	
69	Grimsby	174.00		
71	Prince of Wales, Essex	271.00		
72	Keystone, Stirling	202.00	1.00	
73	Erie	237.00	103.00	
74	Beaver, Strathroy	198.50		

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75	St. Clair, Milton	219.00	1.00	
76	Mount Nebo	125.00	.75	
77	Occident	274.00	76.00	
78	Minnewawa	192.00	30.00	
79	Orient	326.00	8.00	
80	Ark	306.85		.15
81	Aylmer	255.00		
82	Shuniah	510.50	2.00	
83	Ionic, Orangeville	198.75		1.50
84	Lebanon, Wingham	152.25		
88	MacNabb	250.25		3.00
90	Golden	386.00		1.25
91	Toronto-Antiquity	289.00		48.55
94	Midland	282.00		
95	Tuscan	777.00		
102	Algonquin	503.75		32.45
103	St. John's, North Bay	481.00		
104	White Oak	434.00	2.00	
110	Warkworth	163.25	103.75	
112	St. John's, Morrisburg	168.00	20.00	
113	Covenant	436.00	7.00	
114	Bonnechere	161.00		3.75
115	Brant	161.00		.35
116	Maple	162.00	73.00	
117	Kitchener	525.10	1.50	
119	King Cyrus, Leamington	213.30		6.60
129	Elliott	177.00		17.00
130	Chantry	136.00		
131	Amabel	231.00		
132	Leeds	105.00	52.00	
133	St. Francis	433.50		3.00
134	King Darius	213.50		
135	Succoth	95.00	1.00	
138	Shekinah	633.00	1.00	
140	Fort William	234.00	6.00	
143	Glengarry	155.00	64.00	
144	Presqu'ile	106.00		6.00
145	The St. Patrick	196.25		
146	Bernard	186.00	89.75	
147	Lucknow	213.00		
148	St. John's, Vanleek Hill	160.00	267.00	
149	Atwood	97.00	5.95	
150	London	257.00		
151	Laurentian	347.80		
152	Alberton	254.00	178.00	
153	Sombra	121.25	59.00	
155	Ancaster	229.00		1.00
161	Madoc	173.00		
167	Kichikewana	328.00		
168	Ionic, Campbellford	241.00	87.00	
169	Temiskaming	98.00		
175	The Hamilton	190.00		
184	Hugh Murray	142.50		
195	Peel	564.00		
198	Couchiching	255.10		
205	Victoria, Thornhill	330.50		
210	Kitchener, Russell	128.00	62.35	
212	Mount Sinai, Toronto	2,307.75		6.25

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213	Northern Lights	197.00		
214	Vimy	283.75	13.00	
215	Mimico	307.60		8.10
217	St. Alban's	144.50	3.00	
218	Pr. Edward, Shelburne	103.00		
219	Ulster	175.75		
220	Lebanon, Etobicoke	342.00		12.00
221	Durham	144.00	9.50	
222	Ottawa	623.75	6.00	
223	Abitibi	119.00		
224	Keystone, Hamilton	236.25		12.25
225	Beaver	210.00		
226	Prince of Wales, Perth	310.00	2.00	
227	Quinte Friendship	466.00	2.00	
230	Port Credit	241.95		.50
231	St. Clair, Toronto	290.50		75.00
232	King Cyrus, Toronto	251.00		
233	Oakwood	188.00		1.25
234	Halton	261.00	7.50	
235	Aurora	237.25	3.15	
236	Caledonia	118.00		
238	The St. Andrew	357.00	24.00	
239	Blenheim	283.00		
240	Smithville	140.50	35.00	
241	University	134.00		
242	St. Paul's, Lambeth	186.00	90.00	
243	McKay	218.00		7.00
245	Preston	192.00	106.00	
246	Humber	231.00		
247	Nilestown	447.00	51.25	
248	Dochert	108.00	56.00	
249	Palestine, Bowmanville	278.50		
250	Thomas Peters	352.00	143.00	
251	Kirkland	192.00		
252	Hiawatha	670.75		15.50
253	Regal	86.00		
254	Golden Star	528.00	27.00	
255	Tillsonburg	164.00		
257	Espanola	255.00		
258	Tyrian	214.25	88.25	
259	Quetico	138.80		
260	Centennial	154.00	12.00	
261	Seguin	124.00	21.60	
262	King David	238.00		.50
263	Scarborough	417.00	130.00	
			$2,847.25	$1,455.45
	Alberta	9.00		
	Saskatchewan	806.00		
	Total	$46,910.80		
		DR.	$1,391.80	

ACTING GRAND SCRIBE E.'s NOTATIONS

A Grand Convocation is not the best time to break in a new Grand Scribe E. It is truly a case of sink or swim.

The Co-operation which has been forthcoming from 95% of the Chapters and Superintendents has been heartening and of great help. I would ask the remainder to help our Grand Chapter Office sooner in the future, so that we can have our work completed before the rush of the Grand Convocation sets in, early in March, which also entails the end of the Financial Year and the visit of the Auditors.

To the Scribes E. I would ask that you carefully check your rolls against the recap form, and try not to carry over registrations from the previous year. The arithmetic on some of the Forms leaves a lot to be desired, as can be seen from the table of Chapter Returns. There is no way they can be added up accurately. Some Chapters have 350 members. We have about 18,000!

The number of Companions lost to the Jurisdiction by Deaths is really 19 less than published. This is caused by registration of Companions in more than one Chapter.

The sterling work of our preceding Grand Scribe E. and that of M. Ex. Comp. John Nayler last year did much to clear up discrepancies in our rolls, and with Mrs. Kelly's help, more has been done this year. Her work has been invaluable.

We felt that this year we should endeavour to complete the year's work without additional help, if at all possible, partly to reduce the cost of running the Office, and because we felt that we would learn faster if we had to. Also, until I had learned what had to be done, I would not have been in a very good position to direct operations. With considerable help from the Office Committee, headed by M. Ex. Comp. Charles W. Emmett, it seems that we have made it.

It is hoped that measures taken at this Grand Convocation will help to stop the slight drop in membership which shows this year, by retaining, rather than suspending Companions.

The ready response of the Companions has helped a few Chapters to weather storms, and two that have been dormant for two years, have been brought back by the untiring efforts of some Companions, yet there still remain a few who need assistance. The Grand Chapter is always available for assistance in this most worthy cause.

As a matter of interest, among the hard working Scribes, there are many who are over 75, and several who are over 80. May we all be so good when we reach that Noble Age.

Our Good Wishes for Health and Improvement go out to all Companions, and we look forward to a Very Successful Second Year for our Grand First Principal, Most Excellent Companion Aube L. Weisman.

ROBERT T. RIGBY,
Acting Grand Scribe E.

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1.	Ancient Frontenac and Cataraqui,	Kingston	3rd Fri.	James H. Cripps	E. Leslie Earl	194	194	11	2	1	3	—	5	194	4	—	38	193
2.	The Hiram,	Stoney Creek	4th Fri.	George Forgan	Douglas Horne	142	142	1	—	—	2	1	5	133	—	7	28	134
3.	St. John's,	London	4th Wed.	John B. Gunnis	Murray W. Ragin	133	133	4	1	—	—	—	5	133	—	—	40	134
4.	The St. Andrew & St. John,	Toronto	1st Mon.	J. C. Lyttle	K. L. Bellamy	93	92	2	1	—	1	—	4	91	—	2	15	88
5.	St. George's,	London	4th Fri.	William Pugh	John F. Murdoch	191	191	7	—	—	3	—	6	189	—	2	80	185
6.	St. John's,	Hamilton	2nd Thurs.	William Maynard	Alex. Wilson	181	181	11	—	—	—	—	4	188	7	—	18	188
7.	Moira,	Belleville	1st Tues.	Harry D. Jeffe	Stanley H. Lennox	193	192	8	—	—	4	2	7	188	—	5	28	188
8.	King Solomon's,	Toronto	4th Thurs.	David L. Gold	Harvey J. Wilson	177	173	10	2	1	3	4	6	176	—	1	23	174
15.	Wawanosh,	Sarnia	4th Wed.	William Lambie	Ray Taylor	178	164	6	—	—	3	1	4	166	—	2	34	167
16.	Carleton,	Ottawa	3rd Wed.	Preston W. Dell	R. F. E. Kempster	375	375	11	—	1	3	1	6	374	2	—	102	374
18.	Oxford,	Woodstock	4th Fri.	W. Arthur Weekes	J. Bromiley	169	169	7	1	—	2	6	7	160	—	7	18	160
19.	Mount Moriah, St. Catharines		2nd Fri.	G. A. Campbell	Lawrence Marriott	176	177	5	—	—	3	1	9	169	—	8	29	169
20.	Mount Horeb,	Brantford	3rd Thurs.	Arthur Stewart	Arthur W. Cox	69	69	8	—	—	1	3	3	70	1	—	11	70
22.	Grenville,	Prescott	3rd Tues.	R. K. Laushway	L. O. Walker	54	55	1	—	—	—	1	—	54	—	—	4	54
23.	Ezra,	Simcoe	2nd Thurs.	M. A. Turvey	N. Eric Jensen	109	110	5	—	—	1	—	3	110	1	—	13	110
24.	Tecumseh,	Stratford	4th Fri.	R. H. Lovell	David McDermott	175	174	7	—	1	—	1	1	180	6	—	17	182
26.	St. Mark's,	Trenton	3rd Tues.	G. C. Horne	F. Bowman	99	99	2	—	1	3	1	2	96	—	3	9	96
27.	Manitou,	Collingwood	4th Wed.	Donald Borland	B. M. Conron	111	110	3	—	—	1	2	6	104	—	6	9	104
28.	Pentalpha,	Oshawa	1st Tues.	Wilfred Alexander	Floyd T. Fowler	187	200	4	—	—	1	1	5	197	—	3	12	197
29.	McCallum,	Dunnville	3rd Mon.	Henry Gosling	Eric Stabler	87	87	—	—	—	1	—	2	84	—	3	—	84
30.	Huron,	Goderich	3rd Tues.	Clarence McCue	Wm. G. Treble	126	127	4	1	1	1	2	4	126	—	1	12	126
31.	Prince Edward,	Picton	3rd Mon.	Benjamin Carman	Douglas E. Palmer	128	129	6	—	—	2	1	1	131	2	—	7	131
32.	Waterloo,	Cambridge	4th Thurs.	B. E. Bryant	A. E. Rhodes	161	169	10	—	—	2	—	3	166	5	—	3	162
34.	Signet,	Barrie	2nd Tues.	Frank Toporowski	G. W. Campbell	123	125	3	—	1	—	—	3	126	1	—	20	125
35.	Keystone,	Whitby	2nd Mon.	Edward Ounjian	(Rev.) S. E. Smith	104	103	9	—	—	2	—	—	110	7	—	5	110
36.	Corinthian,	Peterborough	4th Wed.	J. W. Auckland	R. G. Huggins	346	346	12	—	1	1	—	11	347	1	—	12	347
37.	Victoria,	Port Hope	1st Wed.	L. J. Henning	W. H. Meldrum	103	103	2	—	—	2	1	2	100	—	3	14	97
40.	Guelph,	Guelph	2nd Fri.	Arthur C. Andrew	W. H. Quant	165	164	3	1	—	1	—	6	161	—	3	27	162
41.	Harris,	Ingersoll	4th Mon.	T. James Boniface	J. C. Ferguson	88	88	2	—	—	—	—	—	90	2	—	12	90
44.	Mount Sinai,	Napanee	2nd Wed.	E. Zeran	J. H. Ramsay	105	104	1	—	—	1	—	1	103	—	1	4	103
45.	Excelsior,	Colborne	1st Fri.	Robert Strong	Alex Mackie	46	47	1	—	—	2	2	1	43	—	4	—	42
46.	St. James,	St. Marys	2nd Mon.	Victor Hearn	C. E. Dunseith	70	70	—	—	—	—	—	2	69	—	2	7	69

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47.	Wellington,	Chatham	2nd Thurs.	A. R. H. Gough	W. A. Evans	89	92	1	—	1	3	4	3	82	—	8	3	79
48.	St. John's,	Port Hope	4th Tues.	Edgar Buttars	Wm. Marsh	53	53	3	1	1	—	—	—	57	5	—	6	55
53.	Bruce,	Petrolia	3rd Wed.	Basil Thompson	Robert M. Story	59	59	2	—	—	—	—	1	60	1	—	7	60
54.	Palestine,	St. Thomas	2nd Thurs.	Ronald Erickson	G. Robt. Jackson	329	321	16	—	—	1	3	—	333	12	—	252	327
55.	Niagara,	Niagara-on-the-Lake	2nd Wed.	B. F. Lambert	E. W. Aldridge	83	83	1	—	—	3	—	—	81	—	2	—	81
56.	Georgian,	Owen Sound	3rd Tues.	Donald Laycock	Bruce MacDonald	73	73	1	1	—	—	—	3	72	—	1	17	72
57.	King Hiram,	Port Colborne	1st Thurs.	L. W. Leigh	L. L. Doan	117	116	2	—	—	—	2	—	116	—	—	5	116
59.	Sussex-St. Lawrence,	Brockville	1st Mon.	Kevin Halfpenny	T. A. Parkin	198	189	3	—	—	2	4	8	187	—	11	35	180
61.	Granite,	Almonte	2nd Thurs.	Graham Hudson	Robert A. Young	65	73	—	—	—	—	—	—	68	—	—	3	68
62.	York,	Toronto	2nd Fri.	E. K. Anderson	J. S. Shield	122	122	4	—	—	—	3	3	120	—	2	16	116
63.	Havelock,	Kincardine	3rd Wed.	John D. MacKay	J. Clifford Cox	72	77	2	—	1	—	1	2	73	—	—	2	72
64.	Willson,	Welland	1st Wed.	C. R. Leuty	J. C. L. McKeand	84	84	4	—	—	4	—	1	79	—	1	4	82
66.	Malloch,	Seaforth	3rd Mon.	R. Newnham	K. Sharp	52	52	2	—	—	—	—	—	54	2	—	—	54
67.	Enterprise,	Palmerston	2nd Tues.	M. V. Robinson	L. E. Morphy	80	79	1	—	—	2	—	2	76	—	3	—	76
68.	Maitland,	Kemptville	2nd Thurs.	Kenneth Strike	Gideon J. J. Purcell	71	72	3	—	—	2	—	3	70	—	2	1	67
69.	Grimsby,	Grimsby	1st Mon.	L. Charron	L. L. Lymburner	77	78	2	—	—	3	—	2	75	—	3	1	74
71.	Prince of Wales,	Essex	2nd Thurs.	Richard Bonneau	R. Chas. Brushett	105	104	2	—	—	—	—	6	100	—	4	67	99
72.	Keystone,	Stirling	1st Thurs.	David A. Fargey	E. L. Goodman	71	71	—	1	—	1	—	6	71	—	6	6	71
73.	Erie,	Ridgetown	3rd Mon.	Willi Durer	M. H. Snobelen	110	103	4	—	—	2	—	3	102	—	1	6	103
74.	Beaver,	Strathroy	1st Mon.	Roy McLean	M. E. Gare	87	96	4	—	—	—	—	—	100	4	—	11	101
75.	St. Clair,	Milton	3rd Thurs.	Ed. Ramsbottom	Cliff G. Lewington	90	90	5	—	—	1	—	1	94	3	—	1	93
76.	Mount Nebo,	Niagara Falls	3rd Fri.	G. R. McIntosh	Robt. Philips	72	72	1	—	—	2	—	1	70	—	2	17	71
77.	Occident,	Toronto	2nd Mon.	Keith V. Moore	Norman G. Sharpe	139	143	3	—	—	1	—	5	140	—	3	23	143
78.	Minnewawa,	Parkhill	3rd Mon.	Wesley Hilborn	Charles J. Fox	94	107	1	—	—	—	—	2	93	—	1	21	106
79.	Orient,	Toronto	4th Wed.	Wm. Waldron	George Vardy	122	122	3	—	—	3	13	7	102	—	20	6	96
80.	Ark,	Windsor	1st Mon.	George Wogan	L. E. Smallwood	159	152	12	—	—	2	3	11	148	—	4	56	148
81.	Aylmer,	Aylmer	1st Thurs.	William G. Turner	Roy Sinden	85	79	14	5	—	2	—	1	95	16	—	11	95
82.	Shuniah,	Thunder Bay	3rd Wed.	Charles Henderson	Gerald J. Poling	253	250	3	1	—	3	3	11	238	—	13	13	238
83.	Ionic,	Orangeville	4th Tues.	Kenneth T. Foster	W. A. Jackson	76	76	2	—	—	1	1	—	76	—	—	2	76
84.	Lebanon,	Wingham	3rd Tues.	Mac Inglis	Alex Robertson	54	54	3	—	—	2	—	3	52	—	2	6	49
88.	MacNabb,	Dresden	4th Tues.	Wayne Paling	G. E. H. Brandon	60	60	—	—	—	1	—	3	56	—	4	14	56
90.	Golden,	Kenora	4th Wed.	D. M. Young	D. J. Argent	162	152	1	1	—	—	—	6	162	—	4	2	162
91.	Toronto-Antiquity,	Weston	4th Fri.	C. A. Woolner	L. W. Dixon	108	108	7	—	—	1	—	2	112	4	—	15	112
94.	Midland,	Lindsay	3rd Thurs.	David M. Wilson	Ivan B. Brown	97	96	16	2	—	1	—	5	108	12	—	11	108
95.	Tuscan,	Sudbury	3rd Thurs.	W. O. Mulack	W. B. Walker	314	314	4	1	—	3	6	7	302	—	11	11	303

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102.	Algonquin,	Sault Ste. Marie	2nd Fri.	Steven J. Kozak	Robt. A. Beaton	231	240	10	—	—	2	3	8	228	—	5	10	229
103.	St. John's,	North Bay	1st Thurs.	R. M. Dodgson	Arthur J. Scott	129	129	20	1	—	—	—	6	144	15	—	13	145
104.	White Oak,	Oakville	2nd Tues.	Vernon Bell	S. R. Amos	109	109	7	2	—	2	—	2	114	5	—	2	114
110.	Warkworth,	Warkworth	2nd Wed.	George Savin	Wm. G. Taylor	48	48	—	—	—	—	—	—	48	—	—	—	48
112.	St. John's,	Morrisburg	3rd Mon.	F. G. Devaul	T. Lloyd Eady	53	60	1	—	1	1	—	3	58	—	2	—	58
113.	Covenant,	Cornwall	3rd Wed.	Harry Fisk	W. Bruce Sixsmith	175	182	2	—	—	1	—	11	165	—	10	21	168
114.	Bonnechere,	Renfrew	3rd Mon.	Roy S. Taggart	Harold C. Skinner	74	74	—	—	—	1	—	2	71	—	3	3	71
115.	Brant,	Paris	3rd Mon.	Claude Spicer	Clifford Naylor	60	66	2	—	—	3	—	1	58	—	2	10	60
116.	Maple,	Carleton Place	1st Wed.	G. A. Docker	Reg. I. Cross	77	86	—	—	—	1	—	3	73	—	4	9	82
117.	Kitchener,	Waterloo	1st Thurs.	Ralph Oldfield	Frank L. Barrett	170	170	10	1	—	2	—	1	178	8	—	6	180
119.	King Cyrus,	Leamington	2nd Wed.	Deane Palmer	Donald Robinson	132	132	3	1	—	—	—	4	132	—	—	62	133
129.	Elliott,	Mitchell	1st Tues.	Stuart Bryans	Wm. H. Cheoros	83	82	2	—	—	—	—	2	83	—	—	7	81
130.	Chantry,	Southampton	1st Tues.	Orval Crozier	J. R. Kennedy	53	53	3	—	—	—	—	2	54	1	—	4	54
131.	Amabel,	Wiarton	4th Tues.	Wm. Stewart	Wm. Saranchuk	102	104	2	—	—	1	3	1	102	—	3	1	102
132.	Leeds,	Gananoque	4th Tues.	Edwin Haig Clark	A. L. Wheeler	59	59	—	—	—	—	—	1	58	—	1	6	58
133.	St. Francis,	Smiths Falls	3rd Thurs.	W. R. Drew	G. P. Marshall	191	190	4	1	—	1	1	3	190	—	—	—	190
134.	King Darius,	Cannington	3rd Wed.	Harold Hinchley	Allen Poole	48	50	4	3	—	—	—	3	54	4	—	2	53
135.	Succoth,	Uxbridge	2nd Thurs.	R. B. Robinson	Harry V. Watson	51	51	1	—	—	—	—	—	52	1	—	8	52
138.	Shekinah,	Toronto	2nd Tues.	K. G. Williamson	B. W. Spencer	308	310	12	—	—	4	7	5	304	—	4	39	304
140.	Fort William,	Thunder Bay	1st Mon.	George Stewart	C. A. Bangs	108	108	2	—	—	—	7	3	100	—	8	5	98
143.	Glengarry,	Maxville			R. F. McRae	—	69	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	69
144.	Presqu'ile,	Brighton	3rd Tues.	S. Cassan	John Broughton	50	51	2	—	—	—	—	2	51	—	—	1	50
145.	The St. Patrick,	Thornhill	3rd Tues.	Arend Priester	G. W. McKenzie	148	145	1	—	—	—	1	4	144	—	4	4	140
146.	Bernard,	Listowel	1st Tues.	Deryck Weber	Bert Hastings	94	94	1	—	—	1	—	3	91	—	3	1	91
147.	Lucknow,	Lucknow				57	57	1	—	—	—	—	2	56	—	1	—	51
148.	St. John's,	Vankleek Hill	4th Thurs.	P. M. Whetstone	M. J. McLeod	—	52	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	52
149.	Atwood,	Rainy River	2nd Thurs.	W. S. Hagarty	J. F. Trenchard	39	39	—	—	—	—	—	—	39	—	—	—	39
150.	London,	London	3rd Tues.	T. E. Sutton	Bloss E. Doupe	99	99	1	—	1	1	—	2	97	—	1	27	99
151.	Laurentian,	Pembroke	3rd Thurs.	Aubrey MacKenzie		121	123	4	—	—	3	2	3	114	—	4	2	116
152.	Alberton,	Fort Frances	2nd Tues.	A. D. McClendon	D. C. Baldwin	163	165	9	—	—	1	1	4	163	3	—	2	166
153.	Sombra,	Wallaceburg	1st Mon.	Doug Bruce	G. R. Eagleson	59	61	1	—	—	1	1	2	55	—	3	—	58
155.	Ancaster,	Ancaster	3rd Tues.	Wilbert Stickland	George A. Penny	85	85	2	—	—	2	2	1	82	—	3	—	82
161.	Madoc,	Madoc	4th Mon.	J. Robert Gordon	Harry Ashton	72	77	2	—	—	1	—	2	76	—	1	7	73
167.	Kichikewana,	Midland	2nd Mon.	J. E. Lounsbery	K. E. Morrison	147	148	5	—	—	1	1	2	148	1	—	17	147
168.	Ionic,	Campbellford	3rd Mon.	John F. Roberts	Francis W. Long	105	105	3	—	—	2	—	3	103	—	2	15	102
169.	Temiskaming,	Haileybury	4th Thurs.	P. A. Wood	T. L. MacDougall	47	47	2	—	—	—	2	1	44	—	1	3	46

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175.	The Hamilton,	Hamilton	3rd Tues.	Rev. A. W. Watson	G. H. R. Crawshaw	90	90	3	—	—	4	1	3	85	—	5	11	85
184.	Hugh Murray,	Fort Erie	2nd Tues.	Vaughan F. Wilson	Allyn R. Fast	63	66	1	1	—	1	—	3	61	—	2	—	64
195.	Peel,	Brampton	1st Tues.	Derrick Game	Fred Kline	196	196	12	—	—	2	3	1	202	6	—	15	202
198.	Couchiching,	Orillia	2nd Wed.	G. R. Carter	L. F. Pickering	106	105	4	1	1	4	1	3	104	—	2	3	104
205.	Victoria,	Thornhill	1st Wed.	Norm Todd	G. J. Hall	135	135	4	—	—	5	—	2	134	—	3	13	132
210.	Kitchener,	Russell			Wendell M. Stanley	66	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	66
212.	Mount Sinai,	Richm'd Hill	1st Tues.	Samuel Edwards	Samuel Tenenbaum	327	327	19	2	—	3	8	4	333	6	—	168	333
213.	Northern Lights,	Timmins	3rd Wed.	S. McKeen	L. H. Netherton	115	115	—	1	—	4	—	7	105	—	10	17	105
214.	Vimy,	Inwood	2nd Mon.	G. B. Cherry	Samuel J. Mitchell	66	67	4	—	—	3	—	1	66	—	—	26	66
215.	Mimico,	Toronto	1st Wed.	Thos. McClelland	Gordon Down	146	142	3	—	1	6	4	4	136	—	10	17	136
217.	St. Albans,	Thornhill	4th Fri.	Wm. J. Hudspeth	Colin C. Kerr	74	73	2	—	—	2	3	4	67	—	7	3	67
218.	Prince Edward,	Shelburne	2nd Thurs.	C. E. Gillis	J. A. Maudsley	45	44	1	—	—	1	1	2	41	—	3	—	41
219.	Ulster,	Toronto	4th Wed.	William D. Blyth	George Hinchliff	68	68	5	1	—	2	5	3	64	—	4	7	64
220.	Lebanon,	Etobicoke	3rd Wed.	T. Mervyn Davis	Wm. M. Creech	142	142	3	2	1	2	—	2	144	2	—	8	144
221.	Durham,	Durham	3rd Tues.	Robert P. McKeen	Kenneth M. Hooper	62	63	6	—	—	1	—	—	67	5	—	6	67
222.	Ottawa,	Ottawa	2nd Thurs.	George Jackson	W. Earl Tuck	253	249	9	1	5	2	6	5	253	2	—	22	245
223.	Abitibi,	Iroquois Falls	4th Wed.	Alexander Nelson	H. A. Jones	51	51	2	—	—	—	—	—	53	2	—	—	53
224.	Keystone,	Hamilton	1st Mon.	Thomas S. Pocock	G. B. Cowman	94	95	6	1	—	—	—	1	100	6	—	12	99
225.	Beaver,	Toronto	2nd Wed.	W. J. Hudspeth	Tak Nishino	94	95	5	1	—	5	—	1	93	—	—	6	93
226.	Prince of Wales,	Perth	4th Tues.	Stanley H. Babcock	D. A. McQuaid	126	132	2	—	—	1	—	1	126	—	—	1	124
227.	Quinte Friendship,	Belleville	2nd Mon.	Jack Steadman	G. E. Mountford	241	247	4	1	—	2	—	7	237	—	4	26	239
230.	Port Credit,	Port Credit	4th Tues.	Donald Burbidge	Frank Wilson	105	103	1	—	—	4	—	2	100	—	5	9	98
231.	The St. Clair,	Richm'd Hill	2nd Thurs.	H. Ulrich-Schmitz	Albert W. Johnson	134	134	6	1	—	5	2	5	129	—	5	7	130
232.	King Cyrus,	Toronto	3rd Wed.	Charles Hill	J. A. Sheppard	104	104	8	—	—	2	1	1	108	4	—	6	113
233.	Oakwood,	Toronto	3rd Tues.	William Snowden	Donald Wilson	71	71	3	—	—	2	—	3	69	—	2	5	69
234.	Halton,	Georgetown	3rd Wed.	Thomas Messena	Irwin Noble	122	122	3	—	—	2	—	1	122	—	—	1	122
235.	Aurora,	Aurora	4th Mon.	Bruce Gray	John Hepple	90	88	6	1	—	4	—	1	92	2	—	6	92
236.	Caledonia,	Caledonia	2nd Mon.	John Aldridge	C. K. Matteson	52	52	1	—	—	—	—	1	52	—	—	3	52
238.	The St. Andrew,	London	4th Thurs.	Harold Eastwood	D. H. Thomson	142	142	7	—	1	1	—	1	148	6	—	25	148
239.	Blenheim,	Blenheim	1st Wed.	Walter Maguire	Lloyd Guyett	97	97	—	—	—	—	3	4	90	—	7	3	90
240.	Smithville,	Smithville	4th Mon.	Charles Collins	L. T. Richardson	31	35	4	1	—	1	—	—	35	4	—	—	35
241.	University,	Thornhill	1st Tues.	Donald Collinson	O. R. Roberts	72	70	2	—	—	1	2	4	65	—	5	9	67
242.	St. Paul's,	Lambeth	1st Tues.	James A. Neve	Chester L. Philip	74	73	3	—	—	1	—	—	75	2	—	2	75
243.	McKay,	Stoney Creek	2nd Wed.	J. A. McLucas	John Pennell	100	100	6	—	1	—	—	3	104	4	—	7	103
245.	Preston,	Preston	4th Tues.	Joseph J. Vliehs	E. G. Radau	57	56	4	—	—	1	1	1	58	1	—	8	61
246.	Humber,	Weston	3rd Fri.	Allan Seawright	Thos. P. Wells	125	126	1	—	—	1	2	3	120	—	5	16	120

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247. Nilestown, Nilestown		3rd Thurs.	George H. Neely	G. M. Kirkpatrick	161	161	17	—	—	—	—	5	173	12	—	53	175
248. Dochert, Arnprior		1st Mon.	Edward Poole	Dennis Jump	52	52	—	—	—	—	—	—	52	—	—	1	52
249. Palestine, Bowmanville		3rd Mon.	M. MacKenzie	F. Alvin Boyd	89	89	6	1	—	—	—	1	95	6	—	6	95
250. Thomas Peter's, Windsor		2nd Wed.	E. F. Niemi, Jr.	Allan A. Leal	198	198	2	—	—	—	1	6	193	—	5	93	193
251. Kirkland, Kirkland Lake		4th Wed.	Bill Zapatochny	Harold G. Fick	94	102	2	—	—	1	—	6	89	—	5	5	93
252. Hiawatha, Sarnia		1st Mon.	Lyle F. James	E. D. Mann	270	169	15	3	—	—	3	1	284	14	—	85	285
253. Regal, Port Dover		1st Mon.	Neil Pankhurst	Bruce E. Reid	66	71	1	2	—	1	—	2	66	—	—	5	69
254. Golden Star, Dryden		3rd Mon.	J. Kitt	C. J. Ross	205	207	1	—	—	3	2	5	196	—	9	16	198
255. Tillsonburg, Tillsonburg		3rd Tues.	Albert W. Epple	W. R. Wittet	103	103	—	—	—	—	—	1	102	—	1	36	102
257. Espanola, Espanola		3rd Tues.	G. W. H. Reed	A. H. Wood	99	99	1	2	—	4	6	2	90	—	9	3	90
258. Tyrian, Markham		1st Thurs.	Svend Peterson	Russell Collis	79	72	5	1	—	—	2	2	74	2	—	1	75
259. Quetico, Atikokan		Last Mon.	Alex. W. Morrice	E. I. Swanbergson	58	60	2	—	—	—	—	1	59	1	—	1	59
260. Centennial, Streetsville		4th Mon.	Guenther Gahs	F. J. Boden	64	63	3	—	—	2	—	2	62	—	1	5	63
261. Seguin, Parry Sound		3rd Wed.	E. C. Gerhart	Chas. R. Griffiths	48	48	1	—	—	1	—	—	48	—	—	2	48
262. King David, Burlington		4th Mon.	Robert Hedefine	Joseph Hobson	82	82	4	1	—	1	—	—	86	4	—	9	84
263. The Scarborough, Scarborough		1st Tues.	Alex. K. MacLeod	W. Kinnaird	122	122	10	1	—	5	2	—	125	4	—	4	127
					17798	17929	645	57	22	220	162	412	17735	229	348	2299	17740

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AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Members of Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

We have examined the balance sheets of Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Canada in the Province of Ontario as at February 28, 1979, and the statements of revenue and expenditure for the year then ended. Our examination was made in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards, and accordingly included such tests and other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

In our opinion, these financial statements present fairly the financial position of the Grand Chapter as at February 28, 1979 and the results of its operations for the year then ended in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles applies on a basis consistent with that of the preceding year.

Belleville, Canada
March 16, 1979

WILKINSON & COMPANY,
Chartered Accountants.

Statement 1

BALANCE SHEET AS AT FEBRUARY 28, 1979

	1979 $	1978 $
ASSETS		
CURRENT		
Cash	16,302	13,628
Accounts receivable — Chapters	1,386	1,247
Due from other funds		
Victory Thanksgiving Benevolent Fund	603	
The Commuted Membership Fund	3,856	348
The Bursary Fund		2,479
The Keystone Fund		1,839
The Insurance Fund		300
Accrued interest	1,712	2,023
Inventory	16,904	14,687
Prepaid expenses	73	67
	40,836	36,618
INVESTMENTS		
Can. Imp. Bank of Commerce, 8½%, Sept. 14, 1978		9,000
Can. Imp. Bank of Commerce, 10½%, April 9, 1979	3,000	
Can. Imp. Bank of Commerce, 9%, July 16, 1979	6,000	6,000
National Trust Company, 10%, Nov. 16, 1980	9,000	9,000
General Mortgage Corp., 10⅝%, Sept. 1, 1981	21,000	21,000
Morgan Trust, 10½%, Nov. 1, 1981	6,500	6,500
	45,500	51,500
FIXED—at cost less accumulated depreciation (Note 2)		
Furniture, fixtures and equipment	10	10
Library	250	250
Regalia	75	75
	335	335
SPECIAL FUNDS		
The Victory Thanksgiving Benevolent Fund	85,425	83,197
The Commuted Membership Fund	58,585	51,805
The Bursary Fund	29,432	30,396
The Keystone Fund		(415)
The Insurance Fund	3,098	2,560
	176,540	167,543
	263,211	255,996

(The accompanying notes form an integral part of these financial statements.)

LIABILITIES

	1979 $	1978 $
CURRENT		
Bank loan	5,500	12,000
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	414	
Due to other funds		
The Victory Thanksgiving Benevolent Fund		2,128
The Bursary Fund	1,667	
	7,581	14,128

RESERVES

SPECIAL FUNDS	176,540	167,543
GENERAL FUND SURPLUS		
Balance—beginning of year	74,325	67,081
Add—net revenue for year	4,765	7,244
Balance—end of year	79,090	74,325
	263,211	255,996

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Statement 2

STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE

For the Year Ended February 28, 1979

	Actual revenue and expenditure for the year ended Feb. 28, 1978 $	Actual revenue and expenditure for the year ended Feb. 28, 1979 $	Estimated budget for the year $	Balance over or (under) $
REVENUE				
Registration fees	2,022	2,055	2,000	55
Dues—per capita	32,960	31,903	32,500	(597)
Interest from commuted membership fund	3,437	5,825	3,400	2,425
Dispensations and warrants	190	163	150	13
Sale of supplies	14,910	5,366	3,500	1,866
Interest on investments	6,127	5,339	6,000	(661)
Keystone	—	555	—	555
TOTAL REVENUE	59,646	51,206	47,550	3,656
TOTAL EXPENDITURE		46,441	47,150	709
ESTIMATED NET REVENUE FOR YEAR			400	
ACTUAL NET REVENUE FOR YEAR		4,765		4,365

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Statement 3

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURE

For the Year Ended February 28, 1979

	Actual expenditure for the year ended Feb. 28, 1978 $	Actual expenditure for the year ended Feb. 28, 1979 $	Estimated expenditure for the year $	Balance over or (under) $
GRAND CHAPTER OFFICE				
Remuneration—Grand Scribe E.	6,500	6,417	6,500	83
Office assistance	8,486	7,628	8,300	672
Rent and parking	4,465	4,399	4,450	51
Miscellaneous (postage, telephone, etc.)	3,778	3,671	3,300	(371)
Employee benefits	316	289	350	61
	23,545	22,404	22,900	496
GRAND CONVOCATION				
General convocation expenses	4,431	3,254	4,500	1,246
Executive committee	2,369	1,889	2,300	411
Printing proceedings	1,527	2,936	2,200	(736)
Regalia—Grand Z.	350	346		(346)
Testimonial—Grand Z.		350	350	
	8,677	8,775	9,350	575
PRINTING				
General distribution and office	1,436	638	1,500	862
Supplies for resale	13,291	4,898	6,100	1,202
Bank loan interest		1,013		(1,013)
	14,727	6,549	7,600	1,051
TRAVELLING				
Grand Z.	2,000	2,000	2,000	
Grand H.		250	250	
Grand J.		250	250	
Grand Scribe E.	500	500	500	
Other	205	267	200	(67)
	2,705	3,267	3,200	(67)
OTHER				
Audit	600	600	600	
Insurance	1,115	1,171	1,000	(171)
Jewels and engraving	654	1,091	750	(341)
Education and instruction	379		250	250
Capital expenditure		1,321	1,500	179
Keystone		893		(893)
Provision for doubtful accounts		370		(370)
	2,748	5,446	4,100	(1,346)
	52,402	46,441	47,150	709

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Statement 4

THE VICTORY THANKSGIVING BENEVOLENT FUND

BALANCE SHEET AS AT FEBRUARY 28, 1979

ASSETS

	1979 $	1978 $
CURRENT		
Cash in bank	1,021	2,766
Accrued interest	2,344	685
Due from (to) general fund	913	2,128
Due from (to) commuted fund	1,547	(32)
Accounts receivable		50
	5,825	5,597
INVESTMENTS		
Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce, 8½%, Sept. 14, 1979		1,500
Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce, 9%, Dec. 13, 1979		3,000
General Mortgage Corp., 10⅝%, Sept. 1, 1979	1,000	1,000
Morgan Trust, 9%, Feb. 24, 1982	11,500	11,500
Govt. of Canada, 4½%, Sept. 1, 1983	32,200	32,300
Grey Mac Mortgage, 9½%, Feb. 27, 1983	20,000	20,000
Astra Trust, 9½%, Jan. 31, 1983	8,400	8,400
Grey Mac Mortgage 9⅞%, Sept. 20, 1983	3,500	
Commercial Credit Mtgre. Corp., 10½%, Nov. 14, 1983	3,000	
	79,600	77,600
	85,425	83,197

RESERVES

CAPITAL		
Balance—beginning of year	66,292	68,142
Add—net revenue (expenditure) for year	1,666	(1,850)
Balance—end of year	67,958	66,292
UNEXPENDED REVENUE		
Balance—beginning of year	16,905	16,661
Add—net revenue for year	562	244
Balance—end of year	17,467	16,905
	85,425	83,197

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Statement 5

THE VICTORY THANKSGIVING BENEVOLENT FUND

STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE

For the Year Ended February 28, 1979

	1979 $	1978 $
REVENUE		
Interest on investments	5,735	4,505
Bank interest	177	225
Donations	1,666	100
	7,578	4,830
EXPENDITURE		
Benevolence	5,350	4,050
Amortization of bond premium		436
Loss on sale of investments		1,950
	5,350	6,436
NET REVENUE (EXPENDITURE) FOR YEAR	2,228	(1,606)

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Statement 6

THE COMMUTED MEMBERSHIP FUND

STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE

For the Year Ended February 28, 1979

	1979 $	1978 $
REVENUE		
Memberships issued	6,780	6,870
Interest on investments	5,471	2,945
Bank interest	354	492
	12,605	10,307
EXPENDITURE		
Transfer of interest to general fund	5,825	3,438
Amortization of bond premium		409
	5,825	3,847
NET REVENUE FOR YEAR	6,780	6,460

BALANCE SHEET AS AT FEBRUARY 28, 1979

ASSETS

CURRENT		
Cash in bank	81	5,471
Due from Victory Thanksgiving Benevolent Fund		32
Accrued interest	1,907	650
	1,988	6,153
INVESTMENTS		
Can. Imp. Bank of Commerce— 8½%, Sept. 14, 1978		4,000
Royal Trust Company— 10¼%, Dec. 2, 1979	12,000	12,000
Can. Imp. Bank of Commerce— 9%, Dec. 13, 1979		10,000
Vanguard Trust— 9½%, Sept. 19, 1982	9,000	9,000
Vanguard Trust— 9½%, Sept. 20, 1982	11,000	11,000
Greymac Mtge.— 9⅞%, Sept. 20, 1983	4,000	
Commerce Credit Mtge. Corp.— 10½%, Nov. 15, 1983	20,000	
Greymac Mtge.— 10.375%, Feb. 28, 1984	6,000	
	62,000	46,000
	63,988	52,153

LIABILITIES

CURRENT		
Due to general fund	3,856	348
Due to Victory Thanksgiving Benevolent Fund	1,547	
	5,403	348
RESERVE		
BALANCE—Beginning of year	51,805	45,345
ADD—Net revenue for year	6,780	6,460
BALANCE—End of year	58,585	51,805
	63,988	52,153

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Statement 7

THE BURSARY FUND

STATEMENT OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE

For the Year Ended February 28, 1979

	1979 $	1978 $
REVENUE		
Donations	4,555	6,086
Interest on investments	4,049	2,269
Bank interest	216	114
	8,820	8,469
EXPENDITURE		
Bursaries	9,550	8,150
Bursary expenses	234	126
	9,784	8,276
NET REVENUE (EXPENDITURE) FOR YEAR	(964)	193

BALANCE SHEET AS AT FEBRUARY 28, 1979

ASSETS

CURRENT		
Cash in Bank	5,274	5,483
Accrued interest	707	4,092
Due (to) from General Fund	151	(2,479)
	6,132	7,096
INVESTMENTS		
Govt. of Canada— 8¼% — Nov. 1, 1978		5,000
Canada Permanent Mortgage— 10½% — June 14, 1981	8,000	8,000
Credit Foncier Franco Can.— 10½% — July 15, 1981	4,000	4,000
Morguard Trust— 10% — Dec. 14, 1981	3,000	3,000
Morguard Trust— 9½% — Jan. 7, 1982	3,000	3,000
Govt. of Canada— 4½% — Sept. 1, 1983	300	300
Commerce Capital Mtge. Corp.— 10½% — Nov. 14, 1983	5,000	
	23,300	23,300
	29,432	30,396

RESERVE

BALANCE—Beginning of year	30,396	30,203
ADD—Net revenue (expenditure) for year	(964)	193
BALANCE—End of year	29,432	30,396

(The accompanying notes form an integral part of these financial statements.)

Statement 8

THE INSURANCE FUND

STATEMENT OF REVENUE

For the Year Ended February 28, 1979

	1979 $	1978 $
INCOME		
Interest on investments	215	168
Bank interest	23	70
Provided from general fund	300	300
NET REVENUE FOR YEAR	538	538

BALANCE SHEET AS AT FEBRUARY 28, 1979

ASSETS

CURRENT		
Cash	532	294
Accrued interest	66	66
	598	360
INVESTMENTS		
Canada Permanent Trust— 10¼% — Nov. 11, 1979	1,000	1,000
Can. Imp. Bank of Commerce— 7½% — May 1, 1982	1,500	1,500
	2,500	2,500
	3,098	2,860

LIABILITIES AND RESERVE

CURRENT		
Due to general fund	—	300
RESERVE		
Balance—beginning of year	2,560	2,022
Add—net revenue for year	538	538
Balance—end of year	3,098	2,560
	3,098	2,860

(The accompanying notes form an integral part of these financial statements.)

Statement 9

NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR ENDED FEBRUARY 28, 1979

1. ACCOUNTING POLICIES

Outlined below are those accounting policies adopted by the organization considered to be particularly significant:

(a) Inventories
Inventories are valued at the lower of cost and net realizable value, with cost being determined substantially on an average basis.

(b) Fixed Assets
Fixed assets are stated at acquisition cost. New additions are not depreciated in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles but are charged to expenditure in the year of acquisition. The cost of additions is then added to the accumulated cost of fixed assets in the records and to accumulated depreciation.

(c) Revenue Recognition
Revenue from sales of products is recognized at the time goods are shipped or services are supplied to members.

2. FIXED ASSETS

The cost and related accumulated depreciation of the fixed assets are as follows:

	1979		1978	
	Cost $	Accumulated Depreciation $	Cost $	Accumulated Depreciation $
Furniture and fixtures	15,929	15,919	14,609	14,599
Library	250	—	250	—
Regalia	75	—	75	—
	16,254	15,919	14,934	14,599
Cost less accumulated depreciation	$335		$335	

3. LEASE COMMITMENT

Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons of Canada In The Province of Ontario leases their office from F. A. W. Development Corporation Limited for an annual lease charge of $4,450. The leasee further agrees to pay the municipal taxes each year in excess of the amount of municipal taxes payable in 1969. The lease expires on February 28, 1980.

REPORT OF THE PRINTING AND SUPPLIES COMMITTEE

To the Most Excellent Grand First Principal, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

During the past year, liaison was maintained with the Grand Scribe E. as to printing costs. Quotations were obtained from several printing firms whenever the need arose for forms, pamphlets, etc., in order to obtain the most economical cost. This information was made available to our Grand Z.

Your Committee on Printing and Supplies has received the expenditures for the year ending February 28, 1979, and submits the following analysis in support thereof

Printing Proceedings	$2,936.00
Printing General	638.00
Printing for resale	4,898.00
	$8,472.00

It is respectfully requested that the following monies be placed at the disposal of the Printing and Supplies Committee for the fiscal year 1979-80:

Printing Proceedings	$2,900.00
Printing General	1,500.00
Printing for distribution and resale	1,500.00
	$5,900.00

The above estimated costs for 1979-80 are in keeping with the general increase in printing costs.

Fraternally,

R. EX. COMP. HALLETT BANKS

R. EX. COMP. CLARENCE FAULKNER

R. EX. COMP. E. W. ELCOMBE, Chairman

ALPHABETICAL ORDER OF CHAPTERS

No.	Name of Chapter	Dist. No.
223	Abitibi	16
152	Alberton	14
102	Algonquin	15
131	Amabel	9
155	Ancaster	5
1	Ancient Frontenac & Cataraqui	12
80	Ark	1
149	Atwood	14
235	Aurora	8
81	Aylmer	2
74	Beaver, Strathroy	2
225	Beaver, Toronto	8
146	Bernard	6
239	Blenheim	1
114	Bonnechere	13
115	Brant	3
53	Bruce	2
236	Caledonia	5
16	Carleton	13
260	Centennial	8A
130	Chantry	9
36	Corinthian	10
113	Covenant	12
198	Couchiching	9
248	Dochert	13
221	Durham	4
129	Elliott	6
67	Enterprise	4
257	Espanola	15
73	Erie	1
45	Excelsior	10
23	Ezra	3
140	Fort William	14
56	Georgian	9
143	Glengarry	13
90	Golden	14
254	Golden Star	14
61	Granite	13
22	Grenville	12
69	Grimsby	7
40	Guelph	4
234	Halton	4
175	The Hamilton	5
41	Harris	3
63	Havelock	6
252	Hiawatha	2
2	The Hiram	5
184	Hugh Murray	7
246	Humber	8A
30	Huron	6
168	Ionic, Campbellford	10
83	Ionic, Orangeville	4
224	Keystone, Hamilton	5
72	Keystone, Stirling	11
167	Kichikewana	9
119	King Cyrus, Leamington	1
232	King Cyrus, Toronto	8A
134	King Darius	10
262	King David	5
57	King Hiram	7
8	King Solomon's	8
251	Kirkland	16
117	Kitchener	4
210	Kitchener, Russell	13
151	Laurentian	13
220	Lebanon, Etobicoke	8A
84	Lebanon, Wingham	6
132	Leeds	12
150	London	2
147	Lucknow	6
88	MacNabb	1
29	McCallum	7
243	McKay	5
161	Madoc	11
66	The Malloch	6
68	Maitland	12
27	Manitou	9
116	Maple	13
94	Midland	10
215	Mimico	8A
78	Minnewawa	2
7	The Moria	11
20	Mount Horeb	3
19	Mount Moriah	7
76	Mount Nebo	7
44	Mount Sinai, Napanee	11
212	Mount Sinai, Toronto	8A
55	Niagara	7
247	Nilestown	2
213	Northern Lights	16
233	Oakwood	8A
77	Occident	8A
79	Orient	8
222	Ottawa	13
18	Oxford	3
249	Palestine, Bowmanville	10
54	Palestine, St. Thomas	2
195	Peel	8A
28	Pentalpha	10
230	Port Credit	8A
144	Presqu'ile	11
245	Preston	4
31	Prince Edward	11
218	Prince Edward, Shelburne	4
71	Prince of Wales, Essex	1
226	Prince of Wales, Perth	13
259	Quetico	14
227	Quinte Friendship	11
253	Regal	3

No.	Name of Chapter	Dist. No.	No.	Name of Chapter	Dist. No.
35	Keystone, Whitby	10	217	St. Alban's	8
238	The St. Andrew	2	153	Sombra	1
4	St. Andrew & St. John	8	135	Succoth	8
75	St. Clair, Milton	5	59	Sussex-St. Lawrence	12
231	St. Clair, Toronto	8A	24	Tecumseh	6
133	St. Francis	13	169	Temiskaming	16
5	St. George's	2	250	Thomas Peters	1
46	St. James	6	255	Tillsonburg	3
48	St. John's, Cobourg	10	91	Toronto-Antiquity	8A
6	St. John's, Hamilton	5	95	Tuscan	15
3	St. John's, London	2	258	Tyrian	8
112	St. John's, Morrisburg	12	219	Ulster	8A
103	St. John's, North Bay	15	241	University	8
148	St. John's, Vankleek Hill	13	37	Victoria, Port Hope	10
26	St. Mark's	11	205	Victoria, Thornhill	8
145	St. Patrick	8	214	Vimy	2
242	St. Paul's, Lambeth	2	110	Warkworth	10
263	The Scarborough	8	32	Waterloo	4
261	Seguin	9	15	Wawanosh	2
138	Shekinah	8A	47	Wellington	1
82	Shuniah	14	104	White Oak	5
34	Signet	9	64	Willson	7
240	Smithville	7	62	York	8

REPORT OF WARRANTS AND DISPENSATIONS

1978 - 1979

To the Most Excellent Grand First Principal, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

The Committee on Warrants and Dispensations beg leave to report that during the year past, no requests for the services of this Committee have been received.

Fraternally submitted,
R. EX. COMP. LESLIE LEVITT,
R. EX. COMP. WILLIAM BOSTON,
R. EX. COMP. DOUGLAS J. ARGENT, Chairman.

MEMBERSHIP TROPHY

AYLMER CHAPTER No. 81

The following Companions received the Trophy on behalf of the Chapter from M. Ex. Companion William S. Thomson:

EX. COMP. WILLIAM TURNER, First Principal
R. EX. COMP. HUGH FACKRELL, P.Z.
V. EX. COMP. LEWIS MATLACK, P.Z.
V. EX. COMP. ROY SINDEN, P.Z., & Grand Master of The 1st Veil

PUBLIC RELATIONS COMMITTEE — 1979

To the Most Excellent the Grand First Principal, Grand Council, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

We have presented to the Companions one printing of the Keystone with George S. Johnson as editor and we have to congratulate him on doing a wonderful job.

George is now anxious to print another issue but it seems we have to get more financial support from the Chapters.

We feel that the Chapters want the paper but forget to subscribe, this is easily done, so I would remind all Chapters that the Shut-ins, the sick and the elderly Companions who cannot get out to the Chapters, like the communication, they have not forgotten names and places, so let us keep them informed.

Our Grand Chapter have enough work to do without getting into the editing and printing of the Keystone, we as Companions have a duty to perform.

Remind your Chapter to send in a contribution to keep the Keystone in its proper place, that's in the Companions' home.

The editor's address is: George S. Johnson, 29 Bairstow Cres., Rexdale M9W 4R3.

I wish to thank the Committee, assistant editor Sam Tenenbaum and all the Grand Superintendents for helping in the distribution.

Humbly submitted,
EDWARD M. MARSHALL, Chairman.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON GRIEVANCES AND APPEALS

To the Most Excellent Grand First Principal, Officers and Companions of Grand Chapter.

Most Excellent Sir and Companions:

It is very satisfying to your Committee on Grievances and Appeals to report that no matters have been referred to it during the past year and that peace and harmony prevail throughout the Grand Jurisdiction.

Fraternally and respectfully submitted,

M. EX. COMP. JOHN NAYLER,
R. EX. COMP. SAMUEL MITCHELL,
R. EX. COMP. EDWARD H. LOGAN,
R. EX. COMP. CLIFF MEUNIER,
R. EX. COMP. FRANK SIMPSON, Vice-Chairman.
M. EX. COMP. BRUCE H. SMITH, Chairman.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON BENEVOLENCE

To the Most Excellent Grand First Principal, Officers and Companions of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Excellent Grand Z. and Companions:

Your Committee on Benevolence have considered the Applications for Assistance submitted by the various Chapters and recommend that Grants be authorized from the Victory Thanksgiving Benevolent Fund for the several Chapters in an amount of $4,000.00.

We further recommend that an amount of $1,500.00 be provided for Interim Relief, should it be needed before the next Annual Convocation

of Grand Chapter.

During the past Grand Chapter year, two special grants were made. One for $500.00 to the R.A.M. Kidney Dialysis Fund and another to the Grand Lodge and Masonic Foundation for Project H.E.L.P., in an amount of $1,000.00. Both of these donations have been graciously acknowledged. The total disbursements from the Victory Thanksgiving Benevolent Fund for the past year was $5,300.00.

We know that Masonry and Benevolence, to paraphrase our ritual, are synonymous terms. To a Mason the act of Charity — the extension of the helping hand — the comfort of the distressed and expression of sympathy are as natural and normal as breathing is to life itself. The happiness of benevolence is in action but its test is what one is willing to do for others.

During the past Grand Chapter year we have assisted eight Companions and widows of Companions in an amount of$3,800.00. In relation to our total Membership, this to your Committee appears to be a very small number requiring assistance. We are aware that care must be, and is, exercised in the making of Grants that they are not in conflict with assistance that may be forthcoming from Government Agencies.

Again, we direct the attention of all Chapter to the — Rules Respecting Benevolence — as set forth in the Book of Constitution. We particularly wish to bring to the attention of all First Principals and the Chapter Benevolence Committee Chairmen that it is their responsibility to see that all Applications, whether new or renewals are in the hands of the Grand Scribe E. or the Chairman of this Committee not later than January 31st — this is a must.

Member Companions — it is more blessed to — give — than to receive.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted,

R. EX. COMP. DR. G. E. TURNER,
M. EX. COMP. B. H. SMITH, P.G.Z.,
R. EX. COMP. F. C. ACKERT, Chairman.

REPORT OF THE ARCHIVES COMMITTEE

To the Most Excellent Grand First Principal, Officers and Companions of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Excellent Sir and Companions:

Some progress has been made by your Committee since our last Convocation.

Space was graciously allocated in the Grand Chapter office. With the assistance of Most Excellent Companion Charles Emmett three bookcases were obtained and installed.

Arrangements are being made for the transferral of Very Excellent Companion C. Rich's Library, donated by Mrs. Rich.

Other memorabilia has been received from various Chapters and Companions during the year.

More bookcases and storage area will be required. However, I am sure that there is an allotment to this Committee in the proposed Budget.

All of which is respectfully and fraternally submitted on behalf of the Committee.

V. EX. COMP. JOHN E. YAEGER, Chairman.

Moved by Right Excellent Companion F. Scott, seconded by Very Excellent Comp. John Yaeger that this report be received and adopted.

REVISION AND EDITING COMMITTEE FOR THE "WORK" INSTALLATION AND INSTRUCTION MANUAL

To the Most Excellent Grand First Principal, Officers and Companions of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Excellent Sir and Companions,

With reference to our report, issued at the occasion of the Annual Convocation of Grand Chapter, held in April, 1978, we have now the pleasure to report, that starting September, 1979 the Installation Ceremonies of Chapters in this Grand Jurisdiction will be carried out according to the revised and approved procedure.

At present your Committee is reviewing the printer's submitted printed version of this procedure for typing and printing errors, after which the corrected copy will be forwarded to the Chairman of the Printing Committee for printing; we expect that the material will be available to the Companions not later than July 1.

The booklet, entitled "Installation and Investiture in a Constituent Chapter" will be in a soft cover and of a size to fit a breast pocket. It not only comprises the ritualistic portion of the ceremony, but includes additional information as to proper floorwork as well as the esoteric part, which is now part of the booklet. This, of course will limit the issuing of the booklet by Grand Chapter to Installed First Principals and Past First Principals only.

In order to maintain uniformity in the pronunciation of certain words used in the ceremony, a pronouncing glossary has been added.

In order to assist the Officers and Members, partaking in the work of the several degrees, your Committee has prepared a separate printing, which contains the esoteric portion of the M.M.M., the M.E.M. and the H.R.A. degrees, together with a prooouncing glossary of the words, used in those degrees.

This separate printing was also reviewed by Grand Council approved and will be available separately from the Grand Scribe E.'s office at the same time as the booklet on the Installation Ceremonies becomes available.

It is your Committee's opinion that the issue of the revised "Work" in 1977 and the booklet on the Installation Ceremonies, together with the printing of the esoteric portion of the degrees this summer, make obsolete all booklets, previously issued on these subjects and should enable the Companions to confer the degrees and ceremonies in a dignified, uniform manner.

Most Excellent Sir, the task given the Committee, formed in 1970 and continued by us, is now completed and we respectfully suggest that this ad-hoc Committee be now officially dissolved. If further assistance is required, any one of the Committee is more than willing, singularly or collectively to serve Grand Chapter if and when so required.

At this time, I, as Chairman of the Committee would be remiss if I did not express my sincere appreciation for the tremendous support received from all the members of the Committee during my Chairmanship. Although on occasions different opinions on matters of ritual, floorwork, etc., were voiced, the solution was always obtained in the best Masonic tradition ;indeed for all of us it has been a labour of love, as well as of profit to ourselves.

To Most Ex. Comp. C. W. Emmett, Advisory Chairman goes our

deepest appreciation for the manner in which he supported us as a Committee, as well as for valuable advice offered and for the many meetings he attended.

Last, but not least do we thank R. Ex. Comp. E. W. Elcombe for the assistance he has not only rendered the Committee as a member, but as Chairman of the Printing Committee, which made our task so much easier.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted,

EDWARD W. ELCOMBE,
GORDON T. FERGUSON,
JOHN C. FERGUSON,
IRVING M. INGLES,
CHESTER PHILIP,
WILLIAM B. BELL, Secretary.
MAARTEN A. VAN WAMELEN, Chairman.

COMMITTEE ON AWARDS FOR DISTINGUISHED SERVICE

To the Most Excellent Grand First Principal, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Excellent Sir and Companions,

Your Committee on Distinguished Service Awards functions to review applications for special recognition for dedicated and outstanding service to Royal Arch Masons in our Grand Jurisdiction.

These men are men who get involved
Men who light up the lives of others
Men who have learned, that love isn't love until it is shared
That a bell isn't a bell until it is tolled.
That strength isn't strength until you give someone a lift who needs it.

They have learned that God can do great things through men who share the credit.

We want them to know that their unselfish contributions to the lives of others really counts, and we wish to recognize this by awarding them this Special Award from the Grand Chapter of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

The following Companions have been granted this Distinguished Service Award:

COMPANION JOHN HODGINSON DURNAN,
Scarboro Chapter, No. 263, Toronto

COMPANION CHARLES WILSON McILRAITH,
Quinte Friendship Chapter No. 227, Belleville

COMPANION JOHN EDWARD SIMMS,
Seguin Chapter No. 261, Parry Sound

COMPANION WILLIAM WILSON WRIGHT,
King David Chapter No. 262, Burlington

May God bless these lives to His service.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted,

MOST EX. COMP. JAMES E. GIRVEN,
MOST EX. COMP. CHARLES W. EMMETT,
MOST EX. COMP. FRASER HAY, M.D.

REPORT OF GRAND TREASURER

To the Most Excellent the Grand First Principal, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Canada, in the Province of Ontario.

Most Excellent Sir and Companions,

In this my first report to you as your Grand Treasurer I would be remiss if I did not thank you, my Companions, for electing me to this office and you, Most Excellent Sir, for confirming my election.

During the past year I have become cognizant of the tremendous contribution made by my predecessor, Right Excellent Companion John E. Richardson, in conjunction with the Auditors and several committees, in streamlining proceedures in the Grand Chapter office in so far as they relate to the office of the Grand Treasurer. For his efforts in this regard we are deeply indebted, and sincerely grateful.

As your Grand Treasurer I have been privileged to serve on various committees concerned with the financial affairs of this Grand Chapter. I have had the opportunity of perusing the reports of these committees and I am pleased to submit to you with confidence that they adequately and fairly present our financial position as of February 28th, 1979. These reports will be covered in greater detail by the Finance Committee and the Investment Committee, and I am sincerely appreciative of the untiring efforts of the chairmen of these committees, Most Excellent Companion Charles W. Emmett and Most Excellent Companion Dr. Fraser Hay, in their dedication to the best interests of this Grand Chapter. The Auditor's report, together with the balance sheet and supporting statements, has been printed and duly distributed to the Companions assembled.

The constantly increasing costs of convening this Grand Chapter Convocation must be of concern to all of us and I would take this opportunity to congratulate the Convocation Committee for the restraint that they have exercised, and are continuing to exercise, in this connection. Part of these expenses are, however, directly associated with the annual election of officers and over which the committee has little, if any, control. For example: the cost of printing ballots, notifying nominees by registered mail, hotel expenses in providing space for registration and balloting, luncheon expenses for the scrutineers, etc. Until now these have been provided for out of the annual assessment to all our Companions, the majority of whom do not have the privilege of voting.

Although the following recommendation does not come strictly within the scope of the office of the Grand Treasurer, it does affect the financial position of our Grand Chapter. It is, therefore, respectfully suggested that a fee of $2.00 be charged to each delegate on registration at the Grand Chapter Convocation. The revenue derived from this fee would help to defray the expenses associated with the annual election of officers and I sincerely hope that this recommendation will receive serious consideration.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted,

RT. EX. COMP. GORDON T. A. FERGUSON, Grand Treasurer.

Moved by Rt. Ex. Comp. Frederick Scott, seconded by Rt. Ex. Comp. Gordon T. A. Ferguson, that this report be received and adopted.

And the recommendation referred to Committee for further study.

REPORT OF THE EDUCATION AND GUIDANCE COMMITTEE 1978 - 1979

To the Most Excellent Grand First Principal, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Excellent Sir and Companions:

The members of the Education and Guidance Committee of Grand Chapter have been very active during the past 12 months in carrying out the goals set forth by the General Chairman, M. Ex. Companion Charles W. Emmett.

Briefly, the goals of the Committee may be classified as follows:

(1) To assist the District Grand Superintendents on their District Education Nights.

(2) To establish special degree teams of skilled ritualists for the purpose of exemplifying the new "WORK" should there be a lack of proficiency at any of the Chapters, and also to become capable of exemplifying the new Ceremony of Installation & Investiture of Officers when published.

(3) To hold and conduct Seminars, or Workshops, at the request of the District Grand Superintendent, to explain the changes of the new Work, Masonic protocol, duties of Chapter Officers, how to become a First Principal, and Etc.

(4) To encourage and guide constituent Chapters into forming Chapter Educational Committees for the purpose of presenting Masonic short talks at Chapter meetings, thus enabling Companions to make further advancement in Masonic knowledge.

(5) To assemble Grand Chapter Degree Teams for the conferring of Degrees when requested by the Grand First Principal.

Our District Chairmen and the Assistant Chairmen have once more demonstrated their willing service, zeal and dedication in discharging the tasks assigned to them and, in so doing, have enabled this Committee to achieve many of its goals. We regret that in a brief Report such as this that we are unable to single out each of these dedicated Royal Arch Masons. However, we would be remiss if we did not recognize Rt. Ex. Comp. Leslie Levitt, Vice-Chairman of this Committee, for his laudable contribution in travelling many hundreds of miles throughout this Grand Jurisdiction to present the film, "The Saga of the Holy Royal Arch" at fourteen special Chapter functions. Frequently he has been accompanied by other members of the Education Committee who have also participated in Master Mason Nights at Chapters. It is the opinion of this Committee that a Master Mason Night not only promotes Royal Arch Masonry but further strengthens the fraternal bond existing between the Craft and Capitular Masonry which has been very beneficial to the advancement of the Science.

The District Chairmen have conducted Workshops and many outstanding educational Nights within the Districts — discussing matters such as changes in the revised Work, Masonic Protocal, How to conduct Chapter Meetings, narratives on the traditional and Biblical history of Royal Arch Masonry including the philosophical interpretation of same, and many other items of interest to Capitular Masons. In one particular District, the Companions sought answers to a series of questions within the scope of the Grand Lecturer. With the fraternal co-operation of M. Ex. Comp. Wm. S. Thomson, these questions were

answered and copies of the questions and answers were circulated to our Chairmen in all Districts for their information and usage.

A meeting of the Education & Guidance Committee was held in conjunction with the Grand Executive Meeting at Wingham on September 23rd, 1978, which was very successful with a fine turnout of our District Chairmen and well attended by the District Grand Superintendents. Each representative gave a report on Capitular Masonry in his District and his work in assisting the Chapters.

A former Grand Chapter publication — long out of print, entitled, "Formation of Educational Activities in Constituent Chapters" was reviewed at this meeting and a copy was given to each District Chairman and Grand Superintendent present. This pamphlet suggests and encourages all Chapters to form educational committees within the Chapter for the purpose of conducting regular Masonic education by means of short talks — i.e. talks of no more than 3 to 5 minutes. As we recognize that educational talks given after degrees are not usually welcomed by the Companions, the pamphlet suggests that the short talks be given during the ritual pauses or breaks occurring during the ceremonies of the M.M.M., M.E.M., and H.R.A. Thus we economize our time and avoid prolonging our evenings. Regular Masonic education presented in this form, and in an interesting manner, has proven time and time again to be an effective stimulant to increased Chapter attendance.

In the Districts our Chairmen have been active in soliciting the assistance of Companions of other Chapters to serve as Associate Members at struggling sister Chapters.

We have also been active in providing Degree Teams composed of Principals and Past Principals to confer Degrees at Chapters and also to confer Craft Degrees at Lodges. Some of our Chairmen have also been invited to be guest speakers at Craft Lodge functions to speak on Royal Arch Masonry. This again illustrates the continuing trend of closer fraternization between the Craft and the Chapter.

Espanola Chapter in District 15 has been undergoing trying times for many months. Rt. Ex. Comp. Arthur Haley, our District Chairman residing at North Bay has frequently travelled from North Bay, a distance of 135 miles each way, to encourage and assist this Chapter to carry on. This is just another example of how Grand Chapter Officers continually offer support to Chapters when called upon.

We are faced with this problem of distance in our Northern Districts and it is almost impossible for our District Chairmen to make regular visits, especially during the winter months, or to try to arrange Seminars or Workshops, or other group type activity for Chapter officers. To overcome this difficulty, we are planning to make up a package of material to be made available to each of these Chapters. This material in kit form would give suggestion. guidance and Masonic education of the type normally presented at meetings organized by the District Education Chairman. We are of the opinion this may be of assistance to our district Chapters.

In concluding this Report, Most Excellent Sir, we are most grateful to the interest shown by the Companions of Chapters to our work, and also by the District Grand Superintendents, whom we are always pleased to assist.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted on behalf of the Committee,

RT. EX. COMP. GORDON H. STUART, Deputy General Chairman.
M. EX. COMP. CHARLES W. EMMETT, General Chairman,
Education & Guidance Committee.

April, 1979

REPORT OF THE MILEAGE AND PER DIEM COMMITTEE

To the Most Excellent Grand First Principal and the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Excellent Sir and Companions:

Disbursements were made by your Mileage & Per Diem Committee at the 121st Annual Convocation of Grand Chapter held at Niagara Falls, Ont., April 26, 27 and 28, 1979, in accordance with the receipts enclosed with this report totalling $2,498.55.

We were all saddened by the passing of Most Ex. Comp. James E. Girven who had made a great contribution to this Grand Chapter over many years and also by the sudden death of Rt. Ex. Comp. Frank A. Simpson, a new member on our Grand Executive.

Most Excellent Comps. John L. House and A. G. N. Bradshaw were not in attendance due to age and infirmaties. We miss their wise counsel.

Rt. Ex. Comps. Maarten Van Wamelen and E. K. Hogaboom were unable to attend, the latter due to illness. We were advised Rt. Ex. Comp. Albert F. Gamble of Sudbury, Grand Supt. of District No. 15, was prevented from attending for the same reason.

It seems Rt. Ex. Comp. Robt. McLeod, of Swastika, Grand Supt. of District No. 16 was on his way to our Convocation when his car broke down and was unable to complete his journey to Niagara Falls.

In addition to those mentioned above, the Grand Superintendents of District No. 3, 4, 8, 11, 12 and 13 did not attend the morning or afternoon sessions of the Grand Executive Committee. Each was consequently docked one day's allowance ($15.00). Since these are the men in the field who represent the Most Excellent Grand First Principal and who have contact with all the Chapters in their respective districts your Committee feels greater stress should be placed on their attendance at the meetings of the Executive.

The difference between our estimate and the actual disbursements is explained by the above. I attach my cheque for the difference and a copy of deposit slip to cover same.

I thank M. Ex. Comp. Weisman for appointing me chairman of this Committee and Rt. Ex. Comp. Robt. T. Rigby for his unstinted co-operation.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted,

LLOYD B. GILLESPIE

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON REGALIA

To The Most Excellent, The Grand First Principal, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Excellent Sir and Companions:

In May, 1978 I was asked to take over the Chairmanship of this Committee and make a further investigation into methods of decreasing the cost of our Regalia.

With this in mind I designed a new concept for the suits of the elective and appointed officers. The primary change was replacing the two-colour ribbon with three-colour ribbon and deleting the gold fringe, making the sash optional. Ex. Companion L. Mellor was helpful in this respect and manufactured a sample for display. Those who attended the Executive Meeting in Wingham will recall that the new design was described and modeled. The saving varied from $130. to $195. per suit. It seemed to be accepted by many of the Companions.

Since that time I have received suggestions from various Companions. All were given thoughtful consideration.

However, at the Advisory Meeting held in Toronto on January 22, 1979, a letter was received by that Committee offering a discount of $200.00 per suit if the gold fringe was deleted along with certain other minor modifications. Naturally this was more advantageous in several ways than the radically new design I had submitted. The membership will have the opportunity to express their opinion when they vote on Notice of Motion No. 2, Sections 193 and 194.

Should the new Notice of Motion mentioned above be accepted I feel that the Committee is reundant and suggest that it be phased out.

All of which is respectfully and fraternally submitted on behalf of the Committee.

V. EX. COMP. JOHN E. YAEGER, Chairman.

Moved by Right Excellent Companion F. Scott, seconded by Very Excellent Comp. John Yaeger that this report be received and adopted.

REVIEWER OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF OTHER GRAND CHAPTERS

To The Most Excellent, The Grand First Principal, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Excellent Sir and Companions:

Your Reviewer, once again, has enjoyed reading over 40 Procedings of Grand Chapters world-wide and has drawn some interesting conclusions.

Although all Chapters seem to be financially sound, a few have found it necessary to dip into their capital to balance the Budget. The usual reasons given are inflation, demits, suspensions and lack of new members joining York-Rite Masonry. Some Grand Chapters are increasing the per capita assessment; some are introducing Life Membership.

As can be seen from the synopses of the Proceedings, most Grand Chapters are suffering losses in membership. Every known method has been tried to decrease the suspensions and demits but to no avail: losses from all causes are still greater than the gain in Exaltations.

The Royal Arch Research Assistance (R.A.R.A.) in the United States of America is well supported and most Chapters contribute $1.00 per member.

Festivals seem to be the keynote to Exaltations. Many Chapters prefer this method because of the excellence of the work and the opportunity of meeting new members from various Chapters.

The film "The Saga of the Royal Arch" is widely shown throughout all jurisdictions. Its acceptance is so well received that bookings are required to obtain specific dates.

Many Chapters sponsor the DeMolay but once again problems arise through poor attendance and poor ritual work.

The following excerpts from the Proceedings should be of interest. I have shown the number of Chapters, the membership and the gain or loss for each jurisdiction.

Respectfully submitted,

V. EX. COMP. JOHN E. YAEGER, Reviewer.

Moved by Right Excellent Companion F. Scott, seconded by Very Excellent Comp. John E. Yaeger that this report be received and adopted.

CANADA

ALBERTA—No. of Chapters 28, Membership 3,006, Gain 12.

The report of the Grand Scribe E. shows a net gain of 12 in the membership. But the figures do not tell the whole story. The real significance, as for so long, is the level of attendance at our Chapters. It is not good.

We concur in the remarks of our Grand Z. re the condition of the Chapters and hasten to add that unless the officers of their respective Chapters are willing to go that extra mile (metre) for their Chapter there may be difficult days ahead in maintaining the strength of a good membership.

Greater Communications between Grand Representatives of Alberta and their respective Jurisdictions will no doubt increase the submissions of reports to the new Committee on Fraternal Correspondence to at least 500%, as well as deeper understanding in our attempt to foster Royal Arch Masonry to its rightful place in the Circle of Freemasonry.

We would like to congratulate the General Grand Chapter International on the excellence of the moving picture "The Royal Arch Saga". We believe the picture to be most instructive to our Companions in the Royal Craft.

BRITISH COLUMBIA AND THE YUKON TERRITORY 1978—No. of Chapters 43, Membership 5,084, Gain 17.

It would appear that, with the exception of a few outlying Chapters, we have experienced quite a bit of renewed interest in Capitular Masonry during the past year. We trust that this will be reflected in overall membership figures.

We beg to report that the matters concerning the Bursary Fund were most active for the academic year 1977-78. Revenue available from the Fund was $3,750.00 which made is possible for Grand Chapter to award ten Bursaries, varying in amounts from $200. to $500.

MANITOBA, 1976—No. of Chapters 17, Membership, 2,053, Gain 32.

The condition of Capitular Masonry is really no different in this Grand Jurisdiction than it is in any other. In the Chapters where the officers show leadership, and plan their actviities well in advance and give guidance to the junior officers, the results and enthusiasm is obvious to all. Participation is the key word.

Make Freemasonry a reality, and not just something in the abstract. Remember that we cannot solicit, but we can exemplify. We have a product to sell — Membership in Freemasonry, and our means of doing so is by precept and example. Let us strive to make the public's image of Freemasonry pleasing and interesting enough to inspire the man in the street to seek membership with us.

NEW BRUNSWICK, 1978—No. of Chapters 11, Membership 1,456, Gain 46.

Masonry has been defined as "a system of morality veiled in allegory and illustrated in symbols". And a longer and clearer definition defines it as "the activity of closely united men, who employing symbolical forms borrowed largely from the mason's trade and from architecture, work to enable themselves and others, and thereby to bring about a universal league of mankind, which they aspire even now to exhibit on a small scale".

NOVA SCOTIA, 1978—No. of Chapters 28, Membership 2,586, Loss 29.

Suspensions are the most disturbing of all losses and reflect

directly on every individual Companion. Chapters report that the best way to retain these members is by personal visits. Volunteers can frequently supplement the work of the Secretary in interviewing those who have fallen behind. If there is a need which personal modesty hesitates to mention, it can often be discovered during a quiet call. Your Committee urges continued action to cut down the number of suspensions even if demits are eventually taken by those Companions.

My observations suggest that we are continung to develop many good ritualists who are priding themselves in their ability and memory so as to free themselves from the crutch of the open ritual during the degree.

SASKATCHEWAN, 1978—No. of Chapters 26, Membership 2,757, Loss 23.

From its formation in 1923, the Grand Chapter of Saskatchewan has used the Work as practiced by The Grand Chapter of Canada in the Province of Ontario. In 1976-7 that Grand Chapter revised and reprinted their exhausted supply. The Committee plans a full review of the Manual of Instruction, to conform with the Work and Established rulings.

With the exception of one or two Chapters a healthy atmosphere exists in Capitular Masonry in Saskatchewan.

Well over half of the total loss in membership was by way of the grim reaper, over whom we have no control. Personal contact prior to suspension proceedings is not always possible but may well pay dividends.

There is good evidence that Capitular Masonry in Saskatchewan is generally healthy and strong and on a solid foundation. The Chapters are showing increasing interest and some of the weaker ones seem to be getting stronger. Attendance at all District Meetings was above average and the questions and discussions were from Companions who were very concerned about the welfare of the Craft. We are aware that some of our Chapters are becoming heavily endowed with older Companions who can't be expected to carry the load for too many more years. We must therefore have younger Companions and candidates coming along.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

ARIZONA, 1977—No. of Chapters 18, Membership 2,695, gain 9.

A resolution will be presented later in this convocation which I feel will assist the Chapters to a great extent. One of our very real problems is the matter of demits and SNPDs and a primary reason for many of these is the amount of dues a Companion must pay, which are predicated upon expenses of a Chapter.

(Resolution: That the Life Membership Fund resolution to be presented at this Convocation, headed "Life Membership State-Wide Fund", be adopted.)

There is considerable concern as to the calibre of the work when we hold one day festivals or special activities. I feel that those who schedule degree work should recognize that candidates will receive their degres only once and the first impressions are lasting ones. If they feel "short-changed" because of curtailed or improper work, all too often that impression stays with them throughout their York Rite life. Let's make haste slowly and give the ritualistic work the dignified position it so richly deserves. Let's not try to compress our work into such a short time span that we fail to convey our message.

CONNECTICUT, 1978—No. of Chapters 39, Membership 5,598, Loss 239.

Masonry today is what it has always been, with the unchanging landmarks and expounding the same unchangeable truths. Our society today is passing through an era of permissive degradation for the "in thing" to do is rebel against all our moral teachings and learnings. Let us therefore not hide our Masonic Light under a cloud of mystery, but let us make known to our younger generation of what our great fraternity teaches.

It is good that Freemasonry does not rely on popularity, limiting its membership to upright and just men. So long as Freemasonry remains true to its principles then masonry will not depend on numbers but upon the integrity, devotion and understanding of its active members. With this in mind masonry will see its objectives and aims come true and we will enjoy a fraternity that will be unshakeable from now to eternity.

DELAWARE, 1978—No. of Chapters 6, Membership 801, Loss 6.

The Annual Report shows a membership decrease of 6 over the year 1977-78. A number of Companions were suspended for nonepayment of dues by their Chapters. I feel that the Chapters will be better off, for these people were contributing nothing.

The Grand Chapter seems to be healthy and have a group of men who are anxious for us to grow. The improvement in the conferrel of degrees has been great and the willingness to participate has been wonderful.

As a whole I feel that there has been an increased interest in Capitular Masonry and that we are ready to move in for a big improvement in all our activities.

As Masons, we should be extending the horizon of human life by removing the rubbish of vice and ignorance which prevents man from beholding Truth and Wisdom. Our Companions have come over a rugged way during the past hundred years. The Rough Ashlar which they dug from the quarries has passed the square. The Altar they reared has been hallowed by the flame of Divine Love.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, 1967—No. of Chapters 8, Membership, 2,055, Loss 120.

The Special Convocation of the Grand Chapter of the District of Columbia was opened at Noon on January 11, 1977. At about 12:11 p.m. Brother Gerald R. Ford was pronounced a Royal Arch Mason on sight: about 12:16 p.m. he was pronounced a Royal and Select Master.

Companion Gerald R. Ford is one of eight Masonic Presidents who have been Royal Arch Masons and they are: Andrew Jackson, James K. Polk, James Buchanan, James A. Garfield, William McKinley, Warren G. Harding and Harry S. Truman.

During the past several years, our membership has declined. While the average loss, generally, was low this year, it is desirable that the Chapters organize teams to call on the Symbolic Lodges to spread the news about the great truths that are found in Capitular Masonry.

GEORGIA, 1978—No. of Chapters 124, Membership 23,972; Loss 383.

There are too many Rituals being used during the degree work. This tends to detract from the degrees and the candidates are not too impressed. There is a need for more supervision within the Chapters. Well informed directors of work in the Chapters, who can create

interest in the officers and members, are badly needed throughout the state.

There are some weak Chapters that would benefit by merging with the nearest Chapter. This would be beneficial to the Chapters who are working toward increasing their membership, and sustaining good degree teams.

After exaltation have candidates return to receive instructions as to what they have received and especially how to prove themselves to be Royal Arch Masons.

IDAHO, 1978—No. of Chapters 19, Membership 2,213, Loss 98.

The design of all Masonry is the search for truth and he who earnestly seeks it shall be rewarded for all his labors in the attainment of his desires.

In viewing what has been done, we can see the same as in past years the "Festivals" appear to attract most of the activity.

Progress rests with you and me. We can inspire those about us and send them in turn to inspire others, thus, we will find that we are making an ever increasing contribution to Capitular Masonry.

INDIANA, 1978—No. of Chapters 87, Membership 16,671, Loss 310.

Some Chapters are in a healthy condition, and many are remarkably active and zealous. Some show great proficiency and sound business methods. But the fact still remains that the active Chapters are outnumbered by the inactive ones.

Right Excellent Companion Frank Simpson of Ontario, Canada, was recognized. His first and opening remarks after a courteous salutation, was to bring greetings from the Grand First Principal of Royal Arch Masons in the Province of Ontario.

The purpose of York Rite Masonry is to promote, not only concord and harmony with all Masonic bodies, but also strengthen all Masonic bodies that we may better serve humanity. We strive to bring into the world of strife the lesson we are taught in the York and Scottish Rite Degrees and we have complete faith that these noble purposes mentioned prevail.

MAINE, 1978—No. of Chapters 63, Membership 9,162, Loss 100.

In most all cases I found the conditions of the craft good and being carried on capably by Past High Priests. ATTENDANCE STILL IS A MAJOR OBSTACLE to overcome. I find that more so today than before, that officers and members of Chapters are in vocations that quite often call them out of town and thus are unable to make the meetings. Therefore it is hard for the Chapters to attract the younger Masons and members. What is needed is more activities and social functions within the Chapters and districts to give the wives and families a more understandable knowledge of what Capitular Masonry is striving to do and what their husbands are involved in. We must do something to keep interest in the members we already have and not lose any more of them on this account.

Wherever I have been, I have found dedicated Masons and Royal Arch Masons in particular. It seems to me that there are more younger officers than there were, and over all the work is improving all of the time, which to me shows a continuing interest in Capitular Masonry.

MARYLAND, 1978—No. of Chapters 27, Membership 6,224, Loss 218.

Another year has passed and we still continue to lose members. We have no control over deaths but we need to give serious action to those members that we lose through demits and suspensions. We

have some thriving Chapters but other Chapters continue to have attendance problems and the problem of lilling their stations with new Officers. The reasons and solutions to these problems is definitely one which each local Chapter must initiate within their own Chapter.

This is the third year that deaths have been greater than the number Exalted. First, are we telling the York Rite Story and seeking new members; second, are we making the convocations sufficiently interesting to make our members want to attend Chapter convocations; and third, are we involving the families in our activities? These are matters which ought to be seriously considered.

The degrees conferred in a Chapter of Royal Arch Masons are among the most meaningful in all of Masonry. To master them and be able to teach them to others should be the desire of every Officer.

MASSACHUSETTS, 1977—No. of Chapters 79, Membership 15,856, Loss 838.

I have been pleased with the quality of the ritual which was exemplified on the occasions when I had the opportunity to visit in Chapters. I am distressed that reports have been made of instances where poor ritual work was exemplified and candidates were far from impressed, and of an instance where the ritual was read from an open book in the Chapter. Such ritualistic behaviour and exemplification cannot be tolerated.

Grand Chapter has been successful during this past year. These accomplishments, great and small, are not the product of one man or a small group of men in Grand Chapter. They are the result of the many Companions of this jurisdiction working together in concert.

The past is prologue; the future of this Grand Chapter will be determined by how diligently each of us work in the present. Let the future show that the Companions of today are worthy to bear the title, Freemason. (R. B. Duncan, G.H.P.)

MOTTO—Be Enthusiastic—It's contagious.

MICHIGAN, 1978—No. of Chapters 129, Membership 18,723, Lass 567.

If a Grand Officer and Past Grand High Priest are present at a Chapter function which requires the closing of the Chapter the Grand Officer or ranking Grand Officer has precedent to close the Chapter in Short Form if the Short Form delegated to the Grand High Priest is to be done.

Because of the decline in the net worth of the Grand Chapter over the past five years, your Finance Committee is proposing several changes in the Grand Chapter Law which will increase the income and decrease expenditures. (Present net worth of the Chapter is $66,146.63 as compared to $105,538.68 in 1974.)

MISSISSIPPI, 1978—No. of Chapters 56, Membership 12,191, Gain 66.

Again we have shown a gain in the membership of this Grand Chapter. This is gratifying, especially when we know that losses are being sustained by Grand Chapters all around us.

The York Rite Festivals have probably been a major reason for our keeping our membership in the "Gain" column. They also give us the opportunity to observe very proficient ritualistic work.

We deplore the fact that we have to exalt more than 500 candidates to show a net gain of 66. We could build our membership by leaps and bounds each year if we could eliminate at least two-thirds of our suspensions.

We always are in need of closer co-operation between Chapters and between individuals in those Chapters. Lack of communication between Companions, who should be interested in promoting Capitular Masonry, is most unfortunate. Let us communicate with one another in our common endeavour.

MONTANA, 1977—No. of Chapters 37, Membership 3,619, Loss 74.

Although Montana has exalted numerous Royal Arch Masons in the past year we have but to look at the "Analysis of Annual Returns" and you will see that the statistics are still not very bright. It is my opinion that this is due in large part to the average age of our Companions at this time and we have had too many lean years in between.

It was my pleasure to observe degree work in most of the Chapters visited and in most cases it was well done and rendered in a dignified manner. It is also nice to see that many of our younger Companions are taking an interest and putting on degree work.

NEBRASKA, 1978—No. of Chapters 40, Membership 5,598, Loss 320.

I am sorry to report that for another year we are not showing an increase in membership and that there still remains among the members on the membership roll, a lack of participation. This lack of participation concerns me greatly. There are the same few in some Chapters who try to keep the ball rolling, and to those good Companions much credit is due. Usually these are the older men. It is the younger men on the membership roll that we need to encourage to attend the meetings. We need to give them an office or a special job to perform; we need to inform them of the value of benig a York Rite Mason. Many of the less active Chapters need to accelerate their efforts to holding regular meetings and promoting York Rite Masonry.

NEVADA, 1977—No. of Chapters 9, Membership 1,172, Loss 23.

Since World War II membership in Royal Arch Masonry in Nevada has steadily climbed up to the year 1968. Up to December 31, 1975 our membership has steadily dropped. For the past nine years (1968-1977) we have failed to progress and as a result we have gained only one member.

With due consideration to the losses in membership, it is usually assumed that the condition of Royal Arch Masonry in Nevada is generally good. However there is deep concern in regards to loss of interest and poor Chapter attendance.

NEW HAMPSHIRE, 1978—No. of Chapters 25, Membership 2,409, Loss 49.

The York Rite Newsletter has proven to be beneficial to all the members of the Rite. Every York Rite Mason in the State is sent a copy.

One of the most important facets of Capitular Masonry is communication and for the past few years we have had the outstanding Statewide New Hampshire York Rite News.

Our loss in membership is only 2% but these small losses add up over the years to a fairly sizeable number. We must attend our Blue Lodges and talk to our Brothers about the good and complete work of the York Rite and then make sure that we can produce that kind of work.

NEW JERSEY, 1978—No. of Chapters 46, Membership 5,119, Loss 200.

Most Chapters are holding regular convocations and doing degree work. Some have help from other Chapters for some of the degrees.

Nearby Chapters take candidates to Chapters that hold Royal Arch Festivals or special Royal Arch Nights.

It is, of course, the ideal for each Chapter to have teams for all four degrees but we realize the impossibility of this and appreciate the fact that we are gaining new members for our Chapters in spite of the reduced attendance and lowered membership.

NORTH CAROLINA, 1978—No. of Chapters 37, Membership 10,058, Gain 5; 1977—Gain 182.

In general the State of the Craft appears to be good. Many Chapters are strong with active members and proficient leaders. There are, however, some soft spots with which my successor should be concerned.

It seems to have been proven that FESTIVALS, whether on the local, district or area levels, attract the greatest number of candidates.

On the negative side is the membership picture. Although our Grand Secretary will report a very small net gain I am not happy with it and neither should you be.

Let's get off our duffs, roll up our sleeves and get to work. 1977—Our gains came largely, but by no means entirely, from area festivals. In our desire to increase membership we did not forget that our purpose is to make Royal Arch Masons, not card carriers in a hurry. May we ever keep that in mind for hasty, or slipshod work, will ruin a Chapter about as fast as anything could and Masonry is a long-term proposition.

NORTH DAKOTA, 1978—No. of Chapters 20, Membership 2,109, Loss 30.

I urge all Masons to wholeheartedly support our youth organizations, especially the DeMolay Chapters—therein lie the Masons of the future and we must now plant the seed of brotherhood, nurture it with love and encouragement and in time the harvest will be reaped and our Order will be the better for it.

It is with faith and confidence in our God that we also pledge to live, with His help, a more perfect life today than we did yesterday, to lift the load that is heavy for our Brother or Sister, to shed light where there is shadow or darkness, to give faith where there is despair, to give hope where there is hopelessness, and to share our God with those who do not have Him.

OHIO, 1977—No. of Chapters 212, Membership 51,778, Loss 910.

Your Grand High Priest wishes with all his heart and soul that he could stand before you today and say that the past year has been one of unparalleled success, that his hopes and dreams were realized, and that his goals were met. He wishes that he could say that the sixteen years of constant decreases in membership have ended and that we are once again back on the gain side. But he has failed so far as numbers of members is concerned.

After taking everything into consideration there is only one difference between the successful and unsuccessful Chapter — THAT IS LEADERSHIP.

I have come to the conclusion that most of the problems is lack of sincere and dedicated leadership and failure to generate interest

and enthusiasm.

It has been said that quality Companions are not lost when Companions drop their membership by their own choice. I cannot entirely agree because many times we are at fault. If we would go out of our way to get all Companions involved then Royal Arch Masonry would become meaningful to them.

Capitular Masonry should remind all Royal Arch Masons to close ranks and to assume the leadership necessary to achieve one goal, the future growth of Capitular Masonry and the York Rite.

OHIO, 1978—No. of Chapters 212, Membership 51,025, Loss 752.

Annual Returns continue to be our greatest problem.

I say, in general, that overall I feel that the state of the Rite is good. We did reduce our losses from the previous year. It is apparent that many of the problems that have existed for too long, still exist within far too many Chapters. That is a definite lack of inspired, enthusiastic leadership from our High Priests and their Officers.

I would like to recommend that serious consideration be given to shortening the elected line of office. This may help to attract some Companions who might be willing to accept the responsibility of leadership without having to serve for a period of nine or ten years.

OREGON, 1978—No. of Chapters 42, Membership 5,229, Loss 82.

If each of us knew more about Masonry, I do not think we would have a membership problem. I believe that if every Mason's knowledge of Masonry were sufficient to enable him to speak but five minutes on the subject, that Mason would not only make his own life happier, but our active membership would be 90 to 95% of our total membership instead of the reverse, and an inflow of younger Masons would unquestionably follow. We don't need to reduce our standards. We need only the ability to communicate them. Our candle is presently under a bushel. Let's bring it out and put it on the candlestick where it belongs.

Due to the abilities of most Royal Arch Chapters, the York Rite Festivals are finding less work to do. Many new Companions are learning the work and taking part in the ritualistic teams. Also, co-operation between Chapters in supplying each other with members who perform the main ritualistic parts, give lectures and charges are keeping candidates in their home Chapters.

PENNSYLVANIA, 1977—No. of Chapters 139, Membership 29,483, Loss 575.

SOUTH CAROLINA, 1978—No. of Chapters 35, Membership 12,608, Gain 338.

We are happy to report that we continue to make good progress in Capitular Masonry; unity, peace and harmony prevails.

The Most Excellent Grand High Priest has proven excellent leadership and we commend him on leading to the 38th continual growth in South Carolina. He has continued to promote RARA on all occasions and has been successful in increasing our contributions to this great charity.

SOUTH DAKOTA, 1977—No. of Chapters 28, Membership 2,896, Loss 63.

It appears that York Rite Festivals are still successful. Several have been held around the state this past year and each one with much success. Several of the smaller Chapters could go together and set up

a Festival and help each other in this way.

My Companions, in one of our degrees we promise to dispense true Masonic Light and Knowledge to the less informed. We really don't have problems—we have challenges and opportunities. We have but to knock on the door of opportunity and it will be opened to receive new Companions to the benefit of the Royal Craft. There are many tools such as the "SAGA OF THE ROYAL CRAFT" that can assist in our obligation to dispense light and knowledge. Why not "GO TO WORK"!

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS, 1978—No. of Chapters 14, Membership 2,729, Loss 77.

Recommendations: That any York Rite Festival which may be held in the future be held in a Temple that has all the equipment necessary for this work. That Degree Teams be established with back-up personnel so that work may be done without interruption or missing personnel. That a Committee be established to make a serious study of the feasibility of the consolidation of some of our subordinate Chapters.

We must again call your attention to the fact that our losses are more than double our gains and that something must be done to reverse this trend.

TENNESSEE, 1978—No. of Chapters 81, Membership 17,720, Gain 60.

We should not be too elated when TEN Chapters had no work at all. Some have had no work for a number of years. We feel this shows a lack of interest on the part of their officers and a shirking of the duty they assumed when they were honoured by being installed as officers of their Chapter. We urge all officers to take seriously the obligations they owe to their Chapters and to our fraternity.

TEXAS, 1977—No. of Chapters 204, Membership 36,677, Loss 660.

Most of the losses seem to result from non-payment of dues! We wonder why this seeming lack of interest. Why are Companions willing to 'drop-out' of York Rite Masonry? Perhaps it is because the light of York Rite Masonry burns low in each of us. Perhaps we have forgotten that we must be the fuel for that light. Are we living as genuine York Rite Companions are supposed to live? Let each one of us make truly honest examination of our lives as Companions.

This has been a very busy year for your Public Relations and your Membership Committees. We have furnished Instructors for several Schools of Instruction and have sent Teams to assist in conferring our beautiful Degrees and Orders.

We have held a total of 36 York Rite Festivals during this year which have been well attended and have accounted for most of our Candidates. Your Committee sincerely encourages those who have not held a York Rite Festival to give real thought to have one in the near future.

UTAH, 1978—No. of Chapters 7, Membership 1,165, Loss 6.

Pertient feature of the report of the Grand High Priest was the decline in membership and the necessity of using computerized listings of eligible Masons as a means of increasing or maintaining the present membership. He proposed taking degree teams to outlying areas and conferring the Capitular degrees upon Candidates who are unable to take the Work in Constituent Royal Arch Chapters.

VERMONT, 1978—No. of Chapters 26, Membership 2,654, Loss 91.

The condition of our Order is not the best nor the worst. It touches on both sides. All we need is one "Spark Plug" in each Chapter and a turn-around takes place. It can happen and it has in some places. Unfortunately we cannot wait for that to happen everywhere. We just have to get out and work.

Capitular Masonry in Vermont has a fine and dedicated core of Companions. As pointed out in Atlantic City, there are three types of leaders—those who make things happen; those who watch things happen and those who don't know why things happen. Let us join with that core and make things happen for Capitular Masonry.

VIRGINIA, 1977—No. of Chapters 77, Membership 15,450, Loss 252.

In an effort to increase our members, we will endeavour to establish new Chapters. We need only to be equipped with sharp minds, dogged determination and a dream—and we will change our numbers from a minus to a plus.

Always think positively; be proud to be a Royal Arch Mason. You are a select group because you are a force for good and a more effective member of church and community. Freemasonry is one of the most powerful forces ever devised throughout the centuries when evil has threatened the greatest gifts given us by God.

We will emphasize the importance of the ritual and encourage Chapters that are weak in this area to make more use of the Grand Lecturer and his District Lecturers.

The decline in membership in our organization is a shocking statistic and we must make more positive moves to stop this decline and instigate more ways of attracting new members. What is even more imoprtant—we must hold the ones we have.

WEST VIRGINIA, 1977—No. of Chapters 44, Membership 9,543, Loss 142.

From our Grand Secretary's Report you will note that again we report a loss of Membership. This loss could have been reduced considerably if we had not had so many Suspensions.

That we encourage the use of "Festivals" for the conferring of Chapter Degrees, where several Chapters will work together in doing so. Festivals have worked well where they have been tried, and the Chapters involved have co-operated in conferring the degrees.

WYOMING, 1977—No. of Chapters 19, Membership 2,536, Loss 47.

The small attendance, even in the larger Chapters, and checking back a number of years, it is very evident the Royal Arch has been gradually going down hill. This indicates to me that for years the Grand High Priests have not had the answer, or what to do about it. So as I see it, all we can do is for all of us to try everything possible, every suggestion, and hope and pray the tide will turn in our favor.

It is our opinion that it is the youthful people who are petitioning for Free Masonry, that the protestors of the last several decades have found that they were not accomplishing what they wanted to do. They were not finding that for which they were seeking because they had no plan, and so they are beginning to return again to those morals and those principles which have been the foundation of the good things of life.

It was said that there is a duty for people to come to a meeting; perhaps there is a duty but let us be realistic and pragmatic about one thing and that is that people go where they want to for a reason. It isn't enough to take a member into an organization. We must have a program at a meeting.

OTHER COUNTRIES

AUSTRALIA (The Supreme Grand Chapter of Victoria), 1976—No. of Chapters 112, Membership 7,686, Loss 249.

We have learned in recent years how to fly through the air like birds, how to swim under the ocean like fish, and to have men walk upon the mon, but we have yet to learn how to walk on the earth like men in brotherhood and dignity, to live together, to work together, and to share together life's experience for ourselves and our children.

A notice of motion was submitted to amend the regulations of Grand Chapter to provide an alternative to the Past Master qualification for election as Principal-by dispensation-after a Companion has proved his interest and ability in the office of Principal Sojourner. The reason for this is regrettable, but it is also sad to perform an Installation Ceremony, where the Second and Third Principals installed were Past Grand Officers and Scribe Nehemiah was a Past Principal.

AUSTRALIA, 1978—No. of Chapters 112, Membership 7,497, Loss 225.

The Grand Zerubbabel reports: "I am happy to report that the administration of our Holy Royal Arch Order is running smoothly and very efficiently.

AUSTRIA, 1977—No of Chapters 3, Membership 141.

Freemasonry in Austria shows a tradition of almost 250 years. Towards the end of the eighteenth century a great number of the leading names in politics, science, society and arts appear on the rolls of Austrian masonic lodges, which proudly listed Mozart and Haydn as their members.

The history of the Royal Arch in Austria, however, is of rather recent origin: In March, 1967, 10 Austrian Master Masons were invited to join the York Rite Bodies in the Munich area.

In the course of a large number of subsequent meetings and discussions, these 10 York Rite Masons, impressed by ritual and idea of the Order, decided to start a Royal Arch Chapter in Vienna. It was a long, thorny, and laborious way, taking exactly 2 years, until the first Austrian R.A.M. Chapter "Vindobons" convened on March 8, 1969, under dispensation of the Grand Chapter of Germany.

The three Austrian Chapters convened on Nov. 1, 1974 to constitute the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Austria. The official establishment of the Grand Chapter of Austria took place on December 6, 1974.

To build and cement a firm arch between the different lodges and parts of Masonry inside and outside of our country is one of the aims of the Royal Arch in Austria.

GERMANY, 1976—No of Chapters 15, Membership 1,452, Gain 39.

It is recommended that the movie, "The Saga of the Holy Royal Arch" be shown when and wherever possible.

Our membership today is mainly composed of American and Canadian military, as well as government and business civilians, but our German membership is growing. We hope that some day we will be in the majority.

Our problems in Europe are: First and foremost is the loss of continuity due to rotation and government re-assignment of militray and civilian personnel. The second problem over the last two years is that we have been refused the use of all military installations, as well as the use of military club facilities for social Masonic functions. Our

third problem is of a financial nature due to the fact that the majority of our members are more or less in the area on a temporary basis.

Last summer I travelled to Greece for the third time where many meetings took place for the establishment of York Rite Masonry in that fair country.

IRELAND, 1977—NOT AVAILABLE.

The year under review can, on the whole, be justly described as a satisfying continuance of effort generally maintaining interest; very good attendances in Dublin and (if the January meeting be excluded) a growing improvement in the Belfast audiences on that reported last year.

With many Companions throughout the District showing far too little interest in their Chapters and seemingly caring very little whether Royal Arch Masonry flourishes or not, it is all the more incumbent upon me to express my appreciation of the valuable services rendered by all those Companions who by their united efforts have kept the flag of Royal Arch Masonry flying throughout the District.

NEW ZEALAND, 1978—No. of Chapters 105, Membership 7,530, Loss 79.

Generally speaking Royal Arch Masonry is in good heart and even better than anticipated. I was impressed by the standard of work in the different degrees and this is most important, the standard of our ritual work must be of the highest order. However, there is still great scope for improvement especially in membership, where some Chapters seem to lack activity and enthusiasm.

To me Masonry generally has been under priced. When one sees the many wonderful buildings on excellent sites one realises the tremendous contribution made by those Brethren and Companions who have gone before us, in establishing these sites.

PHILIPPINES, 1977—No. of Chapters 8, Membership 978, Loss 189.

From reports of my representatives we have had a very good year.

UNITED STATES OF MEXICO, 1977-78—Membership 365, Loss 5.

The M.E. Grand High Priest announced his satisfaction upon the establishment, on the 10th February, 1978 of fraternal relations with the Grand Chapter of Canada for the Province of Ontario, after 24 years. Thus we now enjoy fraternal relations with all Grand Royal Arch Chapters in the world.

CONSTITUTION, LAWS & JURISPRUDENCE

This Committee continues to have a regular quota of work, due to the steady flow of requests for by-law amendments.

The work of this Committee would be aided materially if more care was taken at all levels in preparing requests for 'amendments', ensuring that all signatures, Chapter seals, etc., be included, as required under Secs. 102 and 103 of the Constitution.

More attention should be paid also to options available with respect to Life Membership, Sec. 145-147 of the Constitution. For example, the allowance of not more than one dollar per year of service applies to Sec. 145, but NOT 147.

Your Chairman is grateful to Rt. Ex. Comp. Judge J. A. Cox, Rt. Ex. Comp. W. J. Curtis and V. Ex. Comp. Judge D. V. Latimer for their generous assistance with reviewing by-laws.

W. S. THOMSON, Chairman.

REPORT OF THE GRAND HISTORIAN

To The Most Excellent, The Grand First Principal, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Excellent Sir and Companions:

As your Grand Historian I am disappointed by the lack of communication from some Districts and Chapters. At the workshop held in Oshawa on June 24, 1978 Most Excellent Companion W. S. Thomson emphasized that should any District or Chapter have an event of Historical importance to send the information to me. The same appeal was made at the Executive Meeting held in Wingham, Sept. 23, 1978.

The revision of the Ritual for the Installation Ceremony is at the printers. Hopefully it will be available for distribution prior to the next Installation in your Chapter.

There is a decrease of 87 in membership since our last convocation. We lost 450 members to the Grand Chapter above.

The Kidney Dialysis Fund has reached its objective of $10,000.00. The Committee is now in the process of deciding on the proper equipment to provide.

Once again many Chapters have celebrated 50 years + Anniversaries.

A special evening was held in White Oak Chapter No. 104 on Sept. 12, 1978 when Companion, The Honourable Ray Lawson (age 92), a former Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario, was presented with his 70 years a Royal Arch Mason Pin.

A reception was held at Port Credit Chapter No. 230, Oct. 24, 1978 honouring Right Excellent Companion Gordon B. Jackson, one month after his 90th birthday, on the 50th Anniversary of his being elected Grand Superintendent.

So many attended the Retirement Dinner for Right Excellent Companion Fred C. Conley, Grand Scribe E., on Nov. 30, 1978 that an adjoining room had to be arranged. Many tributes were paid him for his excellence, dedication and contributions as our Grand Scribe E. for 9 years. In his reply he closed with this thought—"May Capitular Masonry become greater and make many people useful, healthful with full happy lives":

December 8, 1978 will long be remembered in Guelph Chapter No. 40, witnessed by 110 Companions, when Right Worshipful Brother N. R. Richards, Deputy Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Canada in the Province of Ontario was regularly installed in the Chair of Third, Second and First Principal respectively, of his Chapter and duly invested as a Past Principal.

I am positive that there have been many other events of Historical importance since our last Convocation. To those who have forwarded material my sincere thanks—keep it coming; to the others, I request your assistance.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted,
V. EX. COMP, JOHN E. YAEGER, Grand Historian.

Moved by Right Excellent Companion F. Scott, seconded by Very Ex. Comp. John Yaeger that this report be received and adopted.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF FINANCE

The Committee on Finance submits herewith its report for the year ending Feb. 28, 1979.

The reports of the Grand Scribe E. and the Auditors for the year ending Feb. 28, 1979, have been submitted to you and have been reviewed by the Members of the Committee on Finance. It is our opinion, these reports present full and adequate details of all Receipts

and Disbursements during the fiscal year in respect to the financial affairs of this Grand Chapter.

The financial statement prepared by our Auditors, Wilkinson and Company, for the period ending Feb. 28, 1979, reflects a surplus of $4,765.00 over expenditures.

Credit must be given to the Members of the Grand Council and the several committees for exercising sound judgement in the expenditures, this type of constant surveillance augurs well for the future of our Grand Chapter.

While the annual statement reflects a bank indebtedness of $5,500.00, we must draw your attention to the fact that there was a reduction in the bank loan of $6,500 during the past year, this loan was for the purpose of purchasing the New WORK. We would also advise that at the present time we have an inventory of material for resale of approximately $16,000.00.

In presenting the budget for the year March 1, 1979 to Feb. 28, 1980, we project a surplus of $4,000.00.

This surplus is due in a great measure to the constant review and updating of our investments under the direction of Dr. Fraser Hay, P.G.Z.

Recommendations: One expenditure that seems to be growing at a greater rate than all others and one that I feel we should take a long look at is the cost of printing ourProceedings. Last year the cost was $2,936.00 for 700 copies, approximately $4.20 per copy.

In each copy there are approximately 26 pages or 20% of the book used for the purpose of printing the reports of the Grand Superintendents. It is the Chairman's opinion that these reports would be better served if they were not printed in the Proceedings, but rather reported directly to the Chairman on Conditions of Capitular Masonry.

Secondly, last year we recommended for the first time an amount be set up for the Grand 2nd and Grand 3rd Principals to assist in a small way with their respective expenses.

This year we are recommending the allowance for our Grand First Principal be increased to $2,500.00. If you approve this will be the first raise in 24 years. We also recommend the allowance for the Grand 2nd and Grand 3 Principals be increased from $250.00 to $500.00.

Respectfully and fraternally,

C. W. EMMETT, Chairman of Finance

ESTIMATED EXPENDITURE FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 28, 1980

	Estimated Expenditure 1979-1980	Estimated Expenditure 1978-1979
GRAND CHAPTER OFFICE		
Honorarium — Grand Scribe E.	4,000.	6,500.
Office Assistance	8,300.	8,300.
Rent & Parking	4,500.	4,450.
Miscellaneous, postage, etc.	3,300.	3,300.
Employee benefits	200.	350.
	20,900.	22,900.

GRAND CONVOCATION		
General Convocation Expense	4,700.	4,500.
Executive Committee	2,300.	2,300.
Printing Proceedings	2,900.	2,200.
Regalia, Grand Z.	350.	——
Testimonials, Grand Z.	——	350.
	10,250.	9,350.
PRINTING		
General Distribution and Office	1,500.	1,500.
Supplies for Resale	1,500.	6,100.
	3,000.	7,600.
TRAVELLING		
Grand Z.	2,500.	2,000.
Gradn H.	500.	250.
Grand J.	500.	250.
Grand Scribe E.	500.	500.
Other	——	200.
	4,000.	3,200.
OTHER		
Audit	1,000.	600.
Insurance	1,100.	1,000.
Jewels & Engraving	750.	750.
Education & Instructions	100.	250.
Capital Expenditure	1,500.	1,500.
Keystone	500.	——
	4,950.	4,100.
TOTALS	43,100.	47,150.

ESTIMATED BUDGET FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 28, 1980

	Estimated Budget 1979-1980	Estimated Budget 1978-1979
REVENUE		
Registration Fees	2,000.	2,000.
Dues—Per Capita	32,500.	32,500.
Interest Transferred from Commuted Fund	3,500.	3,400.
Dispensations and Warrants	100.	150.
Sale of Supplies	2,500.	3,500.
Donation — Keystone	500.	——
Interest on Investments	6,000.	6,000.
TOTAL REVENUE	47,100.	47,550.
TOTAL EXPENDITURE	43,100.	
Estimated Excess of Revenue Over Expenditure	4,000.	

Moved by C. W. Emmett, seconded by G. T. Ferguson, that this report be received and adopted. Carried.

GRAND CHAPTER "CALLED OFF"

Grand Chapter was "called off" at 4:00 p.m. to permit delegates to select their Grand Superintendents of the seventeen districts of the Grand Jurisdiction and to elect the officers of Grand Chapter for the ensuing year.

THURSDAY, 26 APRIL 1979

Grand Chapter was called on at 9:30 a.m.

REPORT OF ELECTIONS

AT THE ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIRST ANNUAL CONVOCATION OF THE GRAND CHAPTER OF ROYAL ARCH MASONS OF CANADA IN THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO, HELD IN THE SHERATON BROCK HOTEL, CITY OF NIAGARA FALLS, ONTARIO 26, 27 28 APRIL, 1979, THE FOLLOWING OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES WERE ELECTED AND APPOINTED:

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NEXT PLACE OF MEETING

By Special Resolution of Grand Chapter, the One Hundred and Twenty-second Annual Convocation of Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Canada in the Province of Ontario will be held in the city of Toronto, Constellation Hotel, 22, 23 and 24th April, 1980.

Address of the Grand Z.:
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Grand Scribe E.

REPORT ON THE CONDITION OF CAPITULAR MASONRY

To the Most Excellent Grand First Principal, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Excellent Sir and Companions:

After a careful analysis of the Reports of the District Grand Superintendents, a scrutiny of the Statistical Tables, and a review of the information kindly supplied by the acting Grand Scribe E., your Committee takes pleasure in presenting its Report on the Condition of Capitular Masonry in this Grand Jurisdiction.

First, we give thanks to the Most High for the gift of improved health and for the wisdom bestowed to our Grand First Principal, M. Ex. Comp. Aube L. Weisman and pray that the Great Jehovah will continue to bless him for many years to come. We appreciate the admirable leadership and sage counsel he is giving to our beloved Order which will be long remembered by our Companions.

The Grand Superintendents are to be congratulated for the interest shown in their visits to the constituent Chapters. They have represented our Grand First Principal very well and have upheld the dignity of the office most commendably.

In general, the Reports and surveys of the Grand Superintendents for 1978 indicate that progress is being made in many areas of Capitular Masonry. In particular the adoption of the new Work has been widespread and it has been well received. Peace and harmony abound and the work of the officers of Chapters is reported to be of high order, while a warm feeling of fellowship continues to exist in our Chapters. It is our intention to elaborate on some of these aspects later on in this Report.

Our hearts were saddened with the passing of M. Ex. Comp. James E. Girven, a man who recognized his purpose in life and fulfilled it with the nobility given to few men. We were also grieved with the sudden loss of Rt. Ex. Comp. Frank Simpson, Chairman of this Committee, as well as the 429 other Companions of our Order. They have gone, but they will be long remembered.

While we do not presume that average statistics reveal an exact account of affairs, nevertheless averages may be used to enable one to view the general scene. For instance, using averages in analyzing the attendance of our members at Chapter meetings we have determined the average annual attendance in 1978 to be 17.9 members per meeting, per Chapter, for the 155 Chapters in this Grand Jurisdiction. In reviewing this average, we have found that attendance has not fluctuated appreciably during the past 12 years. We also note that Corinthian Chapter, No. 36, Peterborough, has achieved the highest average attendance of all Chapters with 46 members attending each meeting.

Even as we find that attendance is steady, likewise do we find the same for visitation to Chapters, where on the average 5 Companions have visited any given meeting of any given Chapter. The greatest visitation has usually been at our city Chapters where distances are not limiting factors, thus we find that Toronto District 8A Chapters have enjoyed the visitation of 11 Companions at a meeting, over twice the average norm.

There have been 1336 regular Convocatios held by constituent

Chapters, together with 85 emergent meetings for a total of 1421 meetings in 1978. In addition, there have been many social or ladies nights.

The Grand Superintendents report that the First Principals are proficient in our Work and can confer all degrees except in the case of Principals of 2 Chapters. It is noted that on the official visits of the Grand Superntendents that a total of 50 Principals were absent for one reason or another. This is a ratio of one Principal being absent for almost every third Chapter visited. Although this is a slight improvement over last year, the situation is still alarming and undesirable since junior officers are greatly influenced by the conduct and attitudes of their seniors which in turn is reflected down the line to the membership at large. Grand Superintendents should strongly urge that all officers be present at the official visit, or for that matter, at all meetings, except in the case of sickness or unavoidable circumstances.

The travelling support which the Grand Superintendents have received from past and present Grand Chapter Officers, Principals and Companions has varied greatly. However, we would be remiss if we did not recognize the strong support favoured upon the Grand Superintendent of Hamilton District No. 5. We found that an average of 25 Companions accompanied him on all of his official visits. Hamilton District is to be highly complimented for such a loyal and exemplary support of their Grand Superintendent.

As mentioned previously, the new Work is being enthusiastically worked by all Chapters throughout the entire Grand Jurisdiction with the exception of a few Chapters in District 12. Hopefully this has now improved there.

Many Chapters are continuing to utilize the film "The Saga of the Holy Royal Arch", as part of the Master Mason Night programme. We commend Rt. Ex. Comp. Leslie Levitt, Vice-Chairman of the Education and Guidance Committee, for arranging these special nights and travelling hundreds of miles to assist Chapters. The record indicates that many Chapters have increased their membership through well planned Master Mason Nights, and in addition, they have further strengthened the bond of harmony existing between the Chapter and the Craft Lodge.

We now come to the subject of membership. In analyzing the various reports we have received, we have determined that 143 out of 155 Chapters have advanced candidates during 1978 for a total of 645 admissions — 36 more than in 1977. St. Johns Chapter No. 103, North Bay, has advanced 20 candidates, the highest number of all, followed closely by Mount Sinai Chapter No. 212, Toronto with 19, Nilestown Chapter No. 247, Nilestown, with 17 and then two other Chapters, Palestine No. 54, St. Thomas, and Midland Chapter No. 94, Lindsay, both of which advanced 16 new members each. We congrateulate these five Chapters for their splendid effort, and indeed all Chapters that have advanced candidates.

Our Order has lost 220 members through demits and another 164 by suspensions during the past year. In analyzing the records over the past four years, we find that the loss of members through withdrawals to be a rather constant number averaging 213 members per year, whereas the loss through suspensions is increasing at an alarming rate, from 87 members in 1975 to 164 in 1978, an increase of 100 percent. Our Most Excellent Grand Z. is recommending the adoption of a new procedure to be used by Chapters which willhelp to curtail the

losses occurring yearly through demits and suspensions, and we urge that Chapters give this new procedure strong support.

The statistical tables show that the annual dues for membership in our Chapters range from a low of $7.00 per year to a high of $35.00, with the mean at $15.00. However, we have learned that many Chapters are currently raising their dues structure to compensate for the inflation now prevailing.

While the total amount of outstanding dues has been reduced by over $$2,000.00 in 1978, there is still a very sizeable sum of $37,347 outstanding. We also find that 944 members are 12 months or more in arrears.

In our charitable work we again note in the Grand Superintendent's Report for District 8A that fourteen Chapters of that district have contributed to the Grand Chapter Bursary Fund and we congratulate them for their 100 percent participation in this most worthwhile project. We also congratulate both Toronto Districts for going over the top in their drive to raise $10,000 for the purchase of kidney dialysis machines for local hospitals. Many Chapters have continued to make contributions, small and large, to various welfare or benevolent programmes, thus demonstrating that the spirit of Masonry moves men to assist others in need.

We find that 7 of the 17 Districts have held District Divine Services in 1978, some well attended by Companions. However, the Grand Superintendents appear to suggest that these Services could be better supported by our Companions so that we may give a strong testimony of our Faith.

The Grand Superintendents have provided us with their assessment of the prospects of Chapters in their districts. In doing so, they have rated 97 Chapters to have 'GOOD" prospects, 47 to have "FAIR" prospects, and 8 to have "POOR" prospects. While we do not question the sincerity of the evaluations, we are unable to rationalize the method used in making these assessments. For instance, in analyzing the reports available to us, and in selecting one Chapter at random, we find that this particular Chapter's membership has declined from 159 to 148, a loss of 11 members during the past year, and that its average attendance has been reported at 12.5 members per meeting, just 3 members over the minimum requirement for opening a Chapter. In addition, there has been little visitation from other Chapters in the district and finally, we note that 12 members are in arrears. Yet this Chapter has been rated as having "GOOD" prospects! While we realize there may be other factors behind the scenes unknown to us which may have influenced the Grand Superintendent to rate the prospects of this Chapter so highly, the facts on record do not, in our estimation, support such an optimistic and rosy outlook. We caution the Grand Superintendents to submit fair but critical reports when assessing the future prospects of Chapters so that a true appraisal on the condition of Capitular Masonry may be made by the Committee.

There are four Chapters having extremely difficult times due to the lack of officers, poor attendance of members and few candidates. We are very pleased to learn that Companions of sister Chapters are volunteering fraternal assistance by filling in as officers until such times as these Chapters may again become self-sufficient.

We congrateulate M. Ex. Comp. Aube L. Weisman for the outstanding leadership he has rendered to his Craft Lodge as Worshipful

Master during this past year and although his duties have been many, and his burdens heavy, his reward is that of a job well done and the constant admiration of his Lodge Brethren.

In conclusion, we thank you Most Excellent Sir for the privilege of serving you and Grand Chapter on this Committee.

Respectfully submitted,

V. EX. COMP. JOHN YAEGER,
R. EX. COMP. JOHN F. MURDOCH,
R. EX. COMP. HUGH FACKRELL, Vice-Chairman,
R. EX. COMP. FRANK SIMPSON, Chairman (deceased)
Per RT. EX. COMP. GORDON H. STUART

Moved by R. Ex. Comp. F. Scott, seconded by R. Ex. Comp. G. Stuart, that this report be received and adopted.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON GRAND Z.'s ADDRESS

To the Officers and Companions of The Most Excellent, The Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons of Canada, in the Province of Ontario.

The committee has perused the address of M. Ex. Comp. Aube L. Weisman with much enthusiasm and concur in his opinion that the Honeymoon City of Niagara Falls is indeed a most wonderful location to hold our 121st Grand Chapter Convocation.

We are united in his expression of thanks to Rt. Ex. Comp. Norman Farrington and his convocation committee for the magnificient arrangements for our ladies and Companions and visitors.

It is with much pride and joy that we have the honour in receiving Most Wor. Bro. and Rt. Ex. Comp. Dr. George Turner, Past Grand Master and Honourary Member of the Grand Executive, representing our Grand Master Most Wor. Bro. Robert E. Davies. We agree with our Grand Z. in his gracious welcome to our visitors and the many concordant bodies of Masonry present today. Also to the numerous courtesies extended to our Grand Z. on his visitations throughout Ontario and the sister jurisdictions.

We appreciate the comments that the Grand Z. has made regarding the assistance, that we the Past Grand Z.'s, his council and the Grand Officers in the various committees and members of Royal Arch Masonry have been to him. It is nice to know that you are not left wanting.

Our Grand Z. has made mention of life membership and the importance of it regarding the numerical status in our Chapters — we wholeheartedly agree with him and encourage it as well as the proper use of the monies received from it. We commend the Grand Z. on fostering the idea of associate members and in many cases it has proven that a little help goes a long way in bringing back to life many Chapters who are finding it most difficult in this day and age.

The Grand Z.'s practice of sending letters to sponsors and new members of the Royal Craft has met with great success and we hope that it will continue.

We agree about our Grand Z.'s comments regarding Chapter summonses and the film The Saga of the Holy Royal Arch. This film has been a great inspiration to our craft brethren. We welcome his notation about Tremoy Chapter in Quebec and we feel certain that harmony will result as this problem is solved. We concur in his recommendation of implementing the use of Form A for the review of a Companion wishing to take his demit or for suspension for non-

payment of dues. Also Form B for the use of recognition for a First Principal having served the office of Z. for one year. The demise of many of our Grand Chapter Officers and Companions has filled our hearts with grief.

The loss of Most Ex. Comp. James E. Girven of Peterboro, a Past Grand Z. in the year 1967, has left a void in Grand Chapter which will be very difficult to overcome. Along with our Grand Z. we express our sympathy to the bereaved families, but rejoice in the knowledge that these Companions are with the Great Jehovah.

It is with the greatest of pleasure that we agree with our Grand Z. regarding the fullest of cooperation with Grand Lodge and that amity should ever be present between all Grand Bodies in Masonry. This is self evident when many of us sojourned to Guelph Chapter No. 40 to pay honour to our Deputy Grand Master, Rt. Wor. Bro. N. Richard Richards and elevated him to the rank of Past Principal. Our Grand Z. made a presentation of a $1,000. cheque to Rt. Wor. Brother and Ex. Comp. Richards for the Grand Lodge project H.E.L.P. On this same evening Most Wor. Bro. and Very Ex. Comp. Eric Nancekivell was presented with the regalia as a Grand Senior Sojourner by Most Ex. Comp. William S. Thomson.

We support our Grand Z. on his foresight in sending letters of sympathy and a letter of congratulations to the Vatican and letters of sympathy and congratulations to Israel and a letter of congratulation to Egypt. We concur in the Grand Z.'s action regarding the recognition of the Grand Chapter of Greece.

We join with the Grand Z. in praising all the recipients of jewels—these Royal Arch Masons have and are still giving invaluable service to their various Chapters. We also concur in his sanction of four Distinguished Service Awards and congratulate them on receiving this meritorious award.

We concur in our Grand Z.'s recommendation in granting the rank of Past Principal upon four First Principals who did not serve a full twelve months due to by-law change, also one posthumous award.

We are all in one accord when the Grand Z. has asked that Rt. Ex. Comp. Frederick Conley be recommended to this Grand Chapter for a signal honour for the great contribution he has made to this Grand Chapter in the past many years. He has been a man of diligence and honesty and will be long remembered for his services. We therefore take great pleasure in concurring with our Grand Z. that the rank of Grand Scribe E. Emeritus be granted.

We wish our Grand Z. much success in the pilgrimage to the Holy Land and we agree with his sentiments of congratulations to Rt. Ex. Comp. Robert Rigby, our new Grand Scribe E. elect and to the Grand Chapter office help in the person of Mrs. Rose Kelly.

We are aware Most Excellent Sir of the many duties which you hope to culminate before your term of office comes to an end next year and we wish you well in these endeavours and may the Great I Am have you in his keeping.

Respectfully submitted,

BRUCE H. SMITH,
CHARLES W. EMMETT,
FRASER HAY, M.D.,
FREDERICK W. D. WELHAM,
LEO J. GENT,
WILLIAM S. THOMSON,
WILLIAM H. SPROULE, Chairman.

INVESTMENTS & FINANCE REPORT

To the Most Excellent the Grand First Principal, Officers and Members, Royal Arch Masons of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

The portfolio holdings of the various accounts respectfully detailed in the Auditor's report.

Balance sheet changes as of 28 Feb., 1979 are as follows:

GENERAL ACCOUNT

Sold

Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce, 8½%, Sept. 14, 1978 Certificates $9,000.00 — this amount was not re-invested at this time but was transferred to sales account and used for advance payment of new Rituals — this amount to be paid back into our investment account when sales warrant.

VICTORY BENEVOLENT FUND

Sold

Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce, 9%, Dec. 13, 1979, $3,000.00; 9%, Dec. 13, 1979, $1,500.00 addition of accrued interest + $2,000.00.

Bought

Greymac Mortgage Certificates, $3,500.00, 9 ⅞%, Sept. 20, 1983, annual; Commercial Credit Mortgage Corp., $3,000.00 10½%, Nov. 14, 1983 Semi-Annual.

COMMUTED MEMBERSHIP FUND

Sold

Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce, 8½%, Sept. 14, 1978, $4,000.00.

Sold

Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce, 9%, due Dec. 13, 1979, $10,000.00

Bought

Greymac Mortg. Certificates, $4,000.00, 9⅞%, Sept. 20, 1983, annual.

Invested cash accumulated in this fund.

Greymac Mtg. Certificates, 10⅜%, Feb. 28, 1984 Semi-Annual.

Invested from General Acct., $10,000.00.

Bought

Commerce Credit Mortgage Corp., $20,000.00, 10½%, Nov. 15, 1983 Semi-Annual.

BURSARY FUND

Sold

Government of Canada Savings Bond, 8¼%, $5,000.00.

Bought

Commerce Credit Mort. Corp., 10½%, Nov. 14, 1983, $5,000.00 Semi-Annual.

In analyzing the overall portfolio holdings, our investment yieldings are much brighter and will continue to be upgraded as the opportuntiy warrants.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

M. EX. COMP. FRASER HAY, Chairman.

Moved by Rt. Ex. Comp. F. Scott, seconded by M. Ex. Comp. Fraser Hay, and carried.

WHAT ABOUT THE GRAND CHAPTER BURSARY FUND?

Grand Chapter considers this to be one of its most important projects.

ITS AIM:—

To see that no dependant of any of our Companions, or the dependant of a deceased Royal Arch Mason, or any Royal Arch Mason is deprived of the opportunity of higher education merely through lack of funds.

HOW TO APPLY:—

Obtain and complete an application form. The form is available through the Scribe E. of your Chapter, from your District Bursary Fund Chairman, or from Grand Chapter office. When the applicant's section is completed, the form is to be sent to the Scribe E. of your Chapter.

CONFIDENTIALITY:—

Applications are confidential because they contain personal and financial information. No reference may be made to any application in open Chapter. Applications are seen by the First Principal and the Scribe E. of the Chapter, the District Superintendent and/or the District Bursary Fund Chairman, and by the members of the Grand Chapter Bursary Committee.

SECURITY:—

Screening by the personal knowledge of two officers of the Chapter and by one or two officers of the District, provides assurance of a Royal Arch Masonic connection and that some financial assistance is needed.

The Bursary Committee obtains certification from the university CAAT college, or technical school that the applicant is registered for the course indicated and that the Bursary will not reduce other scholarships, bursaries, government grants or the like, to which the applicant would otherwise be entitled. Our objective is to help and never to be a mere substitute for other awards.

In forming their judgement, the Bursary Committee are favourably influenced towards young people who earn some money to help themselves. This is the best kind of evidence of the applicant's motivation.

Arrangement for payment of Bursaries are made through the Awards office of the school attended. As far as is feasible, bursary cheques will be presented to the student by a nearby Grand Superintendent or his designate under proper auspices at the school involved.

SCHOLARSHIP:—

Reasonable competence to undertake the proposed studies is expected. There are no formal scholarship requirements. In the past, academic standing has ranged from satisfactory to excellent.

SCOPE OF STUDY:—

There are no formal restrictions. In recent years disciplines have ranged from electrical technology to theology, from medicine to sociology, from engineering to modern languages, from working with retarded children to computer science, from teaching to dentistry.

Generally no award will be made for study at a non-Canadian school. Adequate funds are not available to consider grants for post-graduate work. Part-time students are not eligible for bursaries.

BURSARY AWARDS:—

The Bursary Committee of Grand Chapter has the responsibility for granting or refusing awards and, subject to available funds, for determining the amount of each. Each applicant is notified of the decision by the Chairman of the Bursary Committee.

Failure to receive an award is not a bar to future applications. It is fully recognized that conditions change from year to year.

Present Bursary holders must file a new application if they wish and need assistance in future years. The Committee recognizes a continuing interest in each student's progress, and is favourably predisposed towards granting a reasonable series of bursaries to assist graduation or course completion.

HOW IS THE FUND FINANCED?:—

Most of the money for Bursaries comes from donations which are supplemented by interest revenue from the Bursary Fund. These donations comprise:—

(1) Donations by individual Companions through their Chapters. The objective of Grand Chapter is $1.00 per member. It is hoped that this can be approached. Your help is needed. Grand Chapter issues a receipt for income tax purposes for each donation of $5.00 or over provided the name and address of the donor are available.
(2) Chapter fund raising schemes, and donations from Chapter funds.
(3) Memorial donations in lieu of flowers. A living memorial is surely the best kind of memorial. An increasing number of Chapters are doing this and encouraging their members to do so. Provided that the name and address of the next-of-kin are supplied, a card, signed by the Grand First Principal, is sent by Grand Chapter acknowledging that a donation was made.
(4) The capital of the Bursary Fund may be increased by bequests in individual wills. This should be warmly commended to the Companions.

INCOME TAX STATUS:—

The IncomeTax Department has ruled that donations to the Royal Arch Bursary Fund are charitable donations and therefore deductible as provided by Income Tax regulations.

Receeipts for income tax purposes **must** come from Grand Chapter, **not** from a local Chapter, to be acceptable.

WHAT STUDENTS HAVE RECEIVED BURSARIES?:—

31 students received bursaries during the 1978-79 academic year, 17 for the first time and 14 who had had previous assistance. During the 13 years the fund has been in operation 307 bursary awards have been made to 237 students (124 young men and 113 young ladies) for a total of near $75,000. Last year grants of $9,550. were approved. This is a record high.

WILL YOU HELP BY PUBLICIZING THE GOOD WORK, BY CONTRIBUTING YOURSELF, AND BY ENCOURAGING YOUR COMPANIONS TO DO LIKEWISE?

Donations may be made:

(1) through the Scribe E. of your Chapter,
(2) through the District Bursary Chairman,
(3) by being sent to Grand Chapter R.A.M. Bursary Fund, Suite 205, 240 Eglinton Ave E., Toronto, Ont. M4P 1K8.

Sincerely and fraternally,

CHARLES A. SANKEY, Chairman, Bursary Committee.

REPORT OF THE GRAND CHAPTER BURSARY COMMITTEE

To the Most Excellent the Grand First Principal, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Excellent Sir and Companions:—

Your Bursary program has had a year of record activity and accomplishment. We received 38 applications and 31 bursaries were awarded. Most of those refused were outside the terms of our reference, for example without a Royal Arch connection in the family, or attending school in the United States. Our awards amounted to $9,550., the highest total to date. Twenty different universities and community colleges were attended. Sponsorship came from 19 Chapters and includeded 9 young men and 22 young ladies. Seventeen of our students received their first bursaries, fourteen had had previous support. During the 13 years that your fund has been in operation, close to $75,000. has been distributed to 237 students (124 men, 113 ladies).

Most of our students have contributed substantially to their own support. Your committee continues to regard self-help as a major reason for giving more help. One of the two largest bursaries awarded last year went to a graduating student who, during her 4 years at university, had earned more money to help herself than any other student on our records. Another student is accepting a pass degree after 3 years at university to go to work to pay off $6,000. in student loans and then plans to return for an honours degree and, if scholarships are available, post-graduate study. Still another, interested in journalism, picked a 2-year college course instead of 4 years at university (she was an Ontario scholar) so she could become self-supporting earlier and help pay to educate younger children in her family.

The administrative change, introduced 3 years ago, of arranging, as far as possible, for personal presentation of bursary cheques by a senior Companion of our Order at the university or college, has been continued. Three of our Ontario students attended Canadian universities or colleges in Western Canada. We are indebted to the Grand Chapter of Manitoba for setting up personal presentations of two of our bursaries and to the Grand Chapter of Alberta for one such presentation. All three of these students have written to your chairman and were most pleased, not only with the bursary, but with their discovery of the extent and unity of the Craft. There were problems in a few instances (there will always be some such problems where cheques could not be given personally). Your chairman has maintained correspondence with all our students and, in spite of occasional difficulties, the letters which he has received, the pictures taken during some of the presentations, and advice from Companions who have given the cheques, leaves no doubt whatever that the effort is worth while and the right thing to do. This is no mere formality; it is a message of the heart as well as of the head. It is no mere bridge over a generation gap; it is a two-way experience of friendship. It is no mere effort in public relations; it is Freemasonry in action.

Our bursaries are the principal visible charitable effort of our Grand Chapter. We have had excellent financial support from a few districts and a highly encouraging response from areas where our students live. An increasing number of Chapters are giving memorial donations, in lieu of flowers, for deceased Companions — living memorials which mean something special. The donation which pleased your committee most was from a young lady whom we had assisted and who completed college last year.

We must do much more. The dollars necessary to maintain our

work require continuing contributions at the individual, the Chapter and the district level, not only from those who have given generously in the past, but on a wider basis throughout the province. One source, so far almost untouched, is by way of our estates. A bequest to the capital account of the Bursary Fund will continue its good work far into the future and is earnestly recommended for your consideration and the consideration of all of our Companions. It is the right kind of charity — helping someone else to help themselves to contribute to the years ahead. Think about it, my Companions, and spread the word among your Brethren.

The Bursary Fund could also expand as a medium for celebrating special events, special occasions, special anniversaries. Such specific donations could be used at the student-educational level for purposes broadly designated by the donor and approved by the Bursary Committee, always provided that the criteria for tax-deductable charitable donations were strictly met. There are genuine possibilities here for exploration and action.

Fund raising is emphasized because it has got to be done and it is worth doing. You are referred to the financial statements submitted at this Convocation and which will be published in the Proceedings. Awards this year required drawing nearly $1,000. from our reserves after using current donations and interest available. Every cent was well spent. We have got to raise our sights in the future.

There are several trends in education which will increasingly affect the Bursary program and which Grand Chapter must recognize:—

(1) Like every other cost, the cost of education (including the perhaps one-third of the total cost borne by the student) has been increasing rapidly and will continue to increase due to inflation. A few years ago a "minimum" bursary of $150. was not inappropriate. Today, this would barely cover the fee for a single course of instruction, without considering the substantial inflation in board and lodging. To maintain equivalent bursary dollars, awards have to be $100. to $300. higher than they were even 4 years ago when your chairman was appointed to your committee. This must be clearly recognized and increased dollar support provided.

(2) The traditional 3-year or 4-year structure for university degree requirements is changing. Such requirements are now usually specified as a stated number of course credits, or a number of on-campus terms. Often a failure in a given course is equated to "no credit granted" with no loss of credit in other courses ((except with very low general average marks). Average students now find themselves not infrequently taking a summer term, or an extra term, or a mixture of courses which cannot be classified by such words as, say "second year Arts". There will be more and more applications from students in such positions, each requiring close **individual** attention. In dealing with these, your chairman suggests two guidelines, (a) that, in general, satisfactry completion of five courses can be equated to "a full academic year" of post-secondary education (rarely four courses might serve), and (b) no student should receive, during post-secondary education more than four bursaries, except under very unusual circumstances of which the committee was fully aware.

The above is to be clearly distinguished from "part-time studies", when degree or diploma requirements are deliberately spread over a number of years while the student maintains employment or accepts family obligations. Under our terms of reference, part-time students are not eligible for bursaries, however much we might wish otherwise. We simply do not have the resources.

(3) While it is hoped that most applications will be received by

the committee in the early fall, an increasing number will arrive after Christmas and even near the end of the committee's term of office (annual Convocation to annual Convocation). One urgent and highly deserving application came to Grand Chapter office late in the winter and, following telephone and written consultation within the committee, received emergency clearance by the Grand First Principal. Unfortunately this was still too late to prevent a temporary drop out from college, but full-time studies are being resumed next semester, with our bursary deposited as advance payment on fees. There are, at the date of writing, 3 applications on hand for action. The committee will have to evolve a preferred procedure for dealing with "late" applications.

(4) These trends will lead to other changes in procedure, including modification of the application forms and a speeding-up of processing these, especially up to their submission to the committee. There will be an increasing role for District Bursary Chairmen in the screening process. Such changes will be implemented gradually as required, and must preserve the confidentiality of applications at least as well as at present.

Your committee expresses its sense of loss on the passing of R. Ex. Comp. Frank Simpson of Petawawa. R. Ex. Comp. Simpson and Mrs. Simpson were both strong supporters of the bursary program, and valued friends of our work.

During the past year your chairman divided much of the work load with V. Ex. Comp. Jack Loft. Your chairman retained such duties as correspondence with applicants, with colleges and universities, and making arrangements, through the District Superintendents, for presentation of bursary cheques, and all the related contacts and follow-up, including correspondence with our students who had received bursaries. V. Ex. Comp. Loft acknowledge contributions, issued receipts for income tax purposes, etc., and maintained the necessary correspondence with Chapters and Districts. The total work load has become so heavy that some such division is essential. Both V. Ex. Comp. Loft and your chairman have had full co-operation from Grand Chapter office. As R. Ex. Comp. Rigby is a member of the committee (and a very valued member) we have a special as well as an official link with the Grand Scribe E.

R. Ex. Comp. Allan Leal of Windsor retires from the committee at this Convocation. His health has somewhat restricted his activities of late but his interest remains unabated and his contributions have been warmly appreciated. In his place the committee recommends the appointment of R. Ex. Comp. J. F. Blackwell of London for a five year term beginning with this Convocation. R. Ex. Comp. Blackwell has made several presentations on our behalf and is very interested in the bursary project.

During his four years on the committee, your chairman has served as vice-chairman for one year and as chairman for two years. While he remains on the committee for another year, he is withdrawing as chairman. The committee recommends the appointment of V. Ex. Comp. Jack Loft to that office. V. Ex. Comp. Loft is well fitted for this position, having previously acted as chairman-pro-tem, and having accepted much responsibility this past year. Your present chairman pledges his continuing support and assistance and his continuing devotion to the bursary work under V. Ex. Comp. Loft's direction.

As this is the last report I shall present to an annual Convocation of Grand Chapter, permit me to conclude on a personal note. Free-

masonry has been defined as "a beautiful system of morality, veiled in allegory and illustrated by symbols". If Freemasonry were **merely** a system, veiled and symbolic, it would have little, if any, appeal to me. The key word in the old definition has to be "morality", and morality is inseparable from people, from you and me, from your families and my family, from our friends and our dependants. Our bursary program is a modest effort, but it is **our** effort, neither veiled nor symbolic but operative and real. Many years ago Albert Pike wrote:—"Most men desire to leave some work behind them that may outlast their own day and generation To plant the trees that, after we are dead, shall shelter our children, is as natural as to love the shade of those our fathers planted." With our bursaries we do much more than plant a tree. We nourish a life, a life dear to some of our Companions and therefore dear to us, to you and to me. That, and that alone, is what our bursaries are all about.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted,

ALLAN A. LEAL (1979),
JACK I. LOFT (1981),
BYRON GORDON (1982),
ROBERT T. RIGBY (1983),
CHARLES A. SANKEY (1980), Chairman.

Ex-officio Members:

CHARLES W. EMMETT,
AUBE L. WEISMAN,
JOSEPH HESSEY,
CLIFFORD MEUNIER,
WILLIAM BELL,
EVERETT M. BLUESTEIN.

APPENDIX

R. Ex. Comp. Rigby has been elected Grand Scribe E. by acclamation. He therefore wishes to take ex-officio status. The Committee recommends the appointment of R. Ex. Comp. Cedric C. Dale, of Ottawa for the balance of R. Ex. Comp. Rigby's unexpired term, that is until the Annual Convocation of 1983. R. Ex. Comp. Dale has served well as Bursary Chariman in his district, has presented bursaries, and has demonstrated his ability in bursary concerns.

CONSTITUTIONAL CHANGES AND CORRECTIONS AS DISCUSSED AND APPROVED AT THE GRAND CHAPTER CONVOCATION, 28 APRIL, 1979

(a) That Sec. 66 of the Constitution be amended as follows:
Subsec. (a): Line 2—Delete the word 'continuous'
Line 9—Delete the word 'continuous'
Subsec. (b): Line 2—Delete the word 'continuously'
Subsec. (c): Line 3—Delete the word 'continuously'

(b) The second motion under the name of M. Ex. Comp. W. S. Thomson, referring to Secs. 193 and 194 was withdrawn for further consideration and refinement.

(c) That Sec. 111 of the Constitution be amended as follows: Line 6—Delete the word: 'only the' and substitute the words 'no other'.

(d) That Sec. 91(c) of the Constitution (Grand First Principal's Ruling 1923) be amended as follows:
Add: 'This is interpreted to mean that he may do so if taking part in Ritual, but does not have the right otherwise to sit in the East'.
That Sec. 92(c) of the Constitution (Grand First Principal's Ruling 1923) be amended as follows:
Add: 'This is interpreted to mean that he may do so if taking part in Ritual, but does not have the right otherwise to sit in the East'.

(e) That Sec. 126(a) of the Constitution (Grand First Principal's Ruling 1918) be amended as follows:
Line 3 of Ruling: after the word 'and' add the words 'The Degree'.

(f) That Sec. 78, Page 43, (new Constitution) be amended by adding the following words after the word 'they' on the ninth line:
with the exception of an officer succeeding himself' and, following the word 'Principal' on the 11th line:
'An officer succeeding himself in office shall only be declared'.
Section 78 will then read:
'Every Chapter will annually elect by separate written ballot at a regular convocation, by the vote of a majority of all members present and voting, the First Principal, Second Principal, and Third Principal, the Treasurer, the Scribe E., the Scribe N., the Principal Sojourner, and by open vote, an Examining Bord of three Past First Principals, two Auditors, and the Outer Guard, and at the next regular or emergent convocation following such election, after the minutes have been read and approved, they, with the exception of an officer succeeding himself, will be duly installed and invested by a Companion not below the rank of First Principal. An officer succeeding himself in office shall only be declared. No Companion can be elected to office in a Constituent Chapter unless he be at the time in attendance at the Chapter or unless he has given his written consent to acceptance of office if elected.'
The foregoing Notice of Motion is simply to bring the Constitution into line with the new ritual.

(g) That Sec. 50, Part 15, Page 25 (New Constitution) be deleted and replaced with the following:
'The Grand Superintendents of the Districts will be elected by a majority of the Representatives and Past Principals of their respective Districts, present and voting at the District Meeting.
The District Meeting shall be held at the call of the Grand Superintendent during the month of March or the first two weeks of April.
The Grand Superintendent will advise each First Principal and each Scribe E. in the District. He shall mail the notice of the meeting not later than the fifteenth day of January prior to the meeting—notice of the Meeting to be carried in each Chapter summons.'

OFFICERS INVESTED

M. Ex. Comp. Aube L. Weisman, Grand Z., announced that all items of business on the Agenda of this Grand Convocation had been dealt with. He then requested M. Ex. Comp. William H. Sproule, to assume the office of Installing Z. and proceed with the investiture of the Officers of our Grand Chapter for the years 1979 and 1980.

The Grand Scribe E. was requested to read the names of the Officers elected pertaining to Installation. The Director of Ceremonies was requested to collect the collars and jewels of the elected Officers to be installed. The newly elected Officers were then duly installed. The

elected Officers who had been previously invested or installed were declared installed in their various offices.

The Grand Superintendents were presented to Grand Chapter, obligated and invested according to Ancient Ceremony and placed in charge of their Districts. Their election was confirmed by the Grand Z. This completed the Ceremony of Installation.

APPOINTMENTS

Our Grand Z., M. Ex. Comp. Aube L. Weisman, read out the list of his Appointments for 1979-80. To assist Companions using these Proceeding as a reference, these Appointments are listed in their proper order starting on page 87 along with the Elected Officers of Grand Chapter.

Members of the various Committees for 1979-80 are as printed following the Elections and Appointments. All members, so named, have been sent a sheet showing Appointments, etc.

MOTIONS

HISTORIAN AND GRAND REVIEWER

Moved by the Grand H. and seconded by the Grand J., and resolved,

"That V. Ex. Comp. John E. Yaeger be elected Grand Historian and Reviewer for 1979-80."

BENEVOLENCE

Moved by the Grand H. and seconded by the Grand J., and resolved,

"That M. Ex. Comp. Bruce Smith be elected to the Committee on Benevolence for a term of three years ending 1981."

COMMITTEE ON SCHOLARSHIPS AND BURSARIES

Most Excellent Sir, Members of the Grand Council, Most Wor. Bro. & Rt. Ex. Comp. George E. Turner, distinguished guests, my Companions:

As Canadians, and in particular, Royal Arch Masons within the jurisdiction of the Grand Chapter of Canada in the Province of Ontario, and in assembly today, receiving so many distinguished guests from south of the border, acknowledging unanimously the outstanding report of V. Ex. Comp. Charles A. Sankey, Chairman of the Bursary Committee, reminding one and all of the great benefits that are being derived from our Bursary activity, it seems only fitting and proper that we, as Canadians, having recently witnessed one of the great milestones in the history of mankind — a milestone that was only made possible by the patience and determination of the President of the United States — and one we were privileged to witness, namely — the signing of the peace agreement recently agreed upon between President Sadat and Prime Minister Begin.

It seems, therefore, most fitting, that we in Canada should take steps to mark this outstanding event.

Recognizing that our Grand First Principal, in his wisdom, has organized a tour of Royal Arch Masons and their families to Israel this fall, it would seem quite timely that we now present a resolution

in connection with our Bursary work that will enable our Grand Chapter to receive specific donations and charge our Grand First Principal to present to the Grand First Principal of the Grand Chapter of Israel, on our behalf, a cheque for the purpose of establishing a Bursary Fund within the framework of the Grand Chapter of Israel.

I, therefore, have much pleasure in presenting the following resolution:

"That the Bursary Fund of Grand Chapter be authorized to receive, and the Bursary Committee to distribute, special donations from individuals, Chapters or Districts."

Moved by M. Ex. Comp. Charles W. Emmett, seconded by M. Ex. Comp. William S. Thomson.

Carried.

C. W. EMMETT,
S. TENENBAUM,
G. JOHNSON,
W. DUNLOP,
J. LOFT.

COMMITTEE ON AWARDS FOR DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARDS

Moved by the Grand H. and seconded by the Grand J., and resolved, "That M. Ex. Comp. William H. Sproule be elected to the Committee for the Distinguished Service Award for a term ending in 1981."

ARCHIVE COMMITTEE

Moved by the Grand H. and seconded by the Grand J., and resolved, "That V. Ex. Comp. John E. Yaeger be elected Grand Archivist for 1979-80."

THANKS

Moved by R. Ex. Comp. Gordon H. Stuart, Grand J., seconded by R. Ex. Comp. F. Scott.

RESOLVED:

"That the thanks of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Canada be extended to:

The Credential Committee for the efficient manner in which they discharged their duties;

The Scrutineers for their services in taking charge of the election of the Officers;

The Chairman of General Committee and the Chairman of Sub-Committees for their most successful efforts and achievements;

The Installing Board under the direction of M. Ex. Comp. William H. Sproule, and to all those who have contributed to this labour of love of our Order;

The Sheraton Brock Hotel and Staff for the splendid accommodation and services for our Convocation.

Robert. J. Rigby

The labour of the Annual Convocation being ended, Grand Chapter was closed in Ample Form at 12:00 noon, Saturday, 28 April, 1979, Niagara Falls, Ontario.

Address of the Grand Z.:
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141 Cedarvale Ave.,
Toronto, Ontario
M4C 4J9

Grand Scribe E.,
240 Eglinton Ave. E.,
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Toronto, Ont.
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Between the various reports presented to Grand Chapter, M. Ex. Comp. Aube L. Weisman, Grand Z., asked a number of visiting Grand First Principals of Sister Jurisdictions to speak. They brought greetings to our Grand Convocation from their Companions and wished for our Grand Convocation every success in the future.

At the Grand Chapter Banquet on Friday, 27 April, 1979, there were 568 Companions, their wives and friends at dinner. The fellowship and dancing which followed was greatly enjoyed by all.

APPENDIX

RESTORATIONS — CALENDAR YEAR 1978

1—G. Derzekos; 8—W. Sherrin; 16—F. W. Rumney; 24—S. A. McMane; 26—K. M. Crews; 34—W. T. Levington; 36—V. E. Smith; 47—G. Hord, L.M.; 48—D. J. Hare; 63—W. J. Griffith; 112—W. L. Gurlitz; 150—B. A. Mould; 198—L. E. Dean; 215—E. McGahey; 220—B. Boag; 222—B. W. Beatty, W. L. Wallace, R. R. J. Fleming, I. Sparks, R. P. G. Peterson; 238—A. R. J. Snell; 243—C. Fairhurst.

SUSPENSIONS — CALENDAR YEAR 1978

2—R. H. Fifield; 7—C. E. James, W. G. Beevor; 15—F. C. Hadley; 16—V. W. Irish; 18—W. H. F. Hill, H. H. Evans, R. Yohn, C. Anderson, J. N. Foster; 19—C. Sherry; 20—A. Yapp, N. W. Martin, A. J. Sherrell; 22—L. Perrin; 26—A. Wilson; 27—A. B. Cooper, B. C. Graham; 28—C. S. Maxwell; 31—J. A. Mowat; 32—C. E. Fuller, R. A. Jones; 37—E. J. Brown; 45—L. Chatterson, R. Turk; 47—M. H. Fox, J. H. English, G. M. Marshall, J. W. Holling; 54—D. M. Loucks, J. H. Wright, J. C. Robert; 59—J. K. MacLeod, J. K. Morris; 61—R. A. Martin; 63—A. R. MacLennan; 67—B. Boyer; 79—C. M. White, W. A. Gale, B. C. Sloan, A. A. Johns, F. M. Keith, J. Folster, C. A. Christenson, W. L. Darnell, J. Kyle, A. M. McLeod, T. C. Tweedie, M. Creswick, J. Mahaffey; 80—G. D. Stickley, S. Westlake, S. R. German; 82—V. Grainger, V. R. Ditchfield, A. K. Lie; 83—E. Athay; 95—J. V. O'Driscoll; 102—N. M. Kensit, W. M. Dunseath, O. A. Ivany; 131—J. E. Fox, G. Ferris, D. Kreutzwiser; 113—W. A. Wallace; 151—E. G. Gust, C. W. Carswell; 155—F. Anderson, C. Blanshard; 167—C. A. Beman; 169—R. J. Howard, D. A. McLaren; 175—P. Henderson; 195—K. C. Comyns, J. B. Young, D. V. Haighway; 212—S. Goldstein, B. Axsmith, P. White, A. Oksenberg, S. Richmond, U. Skolnik, H. Lewis; 215—D. R. B. Cameron, R. Dixon, W. G. Thulmann, H. A. Ferguson; 217—J. I. Gooder, J. B. McDonald, C. R. Beacham; 218—R. W. Kitchen; 219—G. R. Brown, E. Donoghue, J. Craig; 225—A. R. Tanton; 226—N. W. Moss; 231—L. C. Tarrant, F. H. Tarrant; 232—S. Grant; 239—A. Paisiovich, E. N. Gostlin, D. T. Zarankin; 241—H. A. L. Stewart, R. H. Nye; 245—N. MacDonald; 246—C. N. Moss, A. Howe; 250—N. Johnston; 252—R. L. Small, M. J. Loosemore, R. P. Rao; 254—A. R. Arnold, R. R. Bowman; 257—M. R. McNally, G. Thornton, R. G. Hagan, H. Size, R. Wright; 258—J. McGregor, M. Dickson; 263—J. McKenzie, P. Shcherbak.

DEMITS — CALENDAR YEAR 1978

2—J. R. McLean, J. I. Loft; 4—V. G. Holmstead; 5—D. G. H. Mines, J. B. West, K. A. Osterberg; 7—D. L. Moore, S. Cross, R. Miller, G. B. Sansom; 15—E. A. Sloat, T. N. V. Taylor, H. J. Bueschkens, D. A. Houden, A. J. Wever; 16—A. B. Barriger, F. G. Eyamie, F. E. Hobson; 18—G. H. Barr; 19—W. H. Morris, L. G. Bird, R. W. Foster; 23—J. M. Page; 26—M. B. Foster, D. J. Nelson, J. D. Raymond; 27—L. Martin; 28—A. C. A. Bathie; 29—W. H. Hicks; 31—C. I. Thompson, A. Wight; 32—H. I. Miller, S. M. Shantz, R. W. Tregwin, C. R. Leuty, A. M. Ballantyne; 35—B. A. Miner, G. H. Darbyshire; 37—K. M. Humphries, J. W. Nisbett; 40—I. H. Lerner; 44—K. M. Fraser; 45—D. McIntosh, H. J. Crosjean; 47—R. C. McKinley, R. A. Horster, J. M. Moffat; 54—W. Ward; 55—A. Veitch, G. R. Wilson, J. Phillips; 59—W. G. Inwood, R. C. Atkinson; 62—F. W. Hickley; 64—G. V. Cordon, W. E. MacDonald, K. R. Clements, J. E. Zahody; 67—J. E. Morrison, H. K. Leary; 72—P. C. McGuire; 73—A. E. Riebel, C. D. Kreiger; 75—

D. H. McMillon; 79—F. W. Micks, J. S. Davison, D. J. Jeffrey, G. R. McBride, D. H. Newby, F. F. Gerow; 80—A. H. Tape, T. S. Anderson; 81—J. E. Goudy, L. Bentley; 82—F. F. Moore, A. A. McKechnie, S. Jones, W. Clark, A. J. McMillan; 83—W. Paton; 84—M. Brown, R. D. Philip, I. Haskins K. M. Streich; 88—C. H. Webster; 91—A. D. McCrindle; 95—G. R. Green, S. H. Ansara, J. I. Thomson; 102—P. Slewidge, D. Pinder; 112—C. B. Clarke; 115—V. P. Ventham, C. C. Robb, A. B. Lawrence; 116—H. N. Craig; 131—W. Hynd; 133—J. M. Smith; 151—T. E. Hillsburg, O. R. Hawkins; 155—M. Betzner, R. Fair; 167—L. A. Petersen; 175—C. D. Reading, F. F. Baugh, W. H. Grant, E. B. Arkell.... 195—O. S. Currie, B. McCleave; 198—M. R. Dickey, G. W. Martin, C. D. Tibbett; 205—H. C. Hinchley, H. M. Newton, J. L. Holowell, T. Potts, J. C. Leitch; 212—E. M. Seligman, M. P. Shelson, M. C. Ogus; 213—F. H. E. R. Taylor, R. G. Childs, W. L. Hamilton, C. V. Amyotte; 214—A. H. McLean, G. Dundas, R. J. Wiley; 215—J. Stob, M. Heaton, E. McGahey, W. L. Reedie, S. R. E. Patterson, S. W. Jarvis; 217—F. L. Whalley, M. F. Mann; 218—A. W. Holton 220—J. B. Miller, F. J. M. Major; 221—G. R. Maxwell; 222—T. D. Berry; 225—J. F. Murray, L. Arkell, H. J. Butler, G. E. Chandran, W. R. Cunningham; 226—H. G. Palmer; 227—G. N. Jones, W. R. Turrall; 230—R. Drummond, C. J. Mordern, E. Cavan, E. McGahey; 231—T. Broadhurst, S. G. Meekins, B. Thurston, H. Hildebrant, N. B. Shearer; 232—S. V. Humphrey, W. H. Paice; 233—L. M. Smith, W. McGurk; 234—D. A. Ward, S. L. Newstead; 235—R. Walton, L. E. Clegg, H. W. Harrison, W. K. Scobbie; 2 38—C. R. Leuty; 240—F. Jablonowski; 241—J. R. McKee; 242—R. A. Root; 245—D. Muirhead; 246—C. G. Beckel; 251—F. Pearson; 253—C. L. Heaman; 254—D. J. Argent, D. Whitten, S. L. Smith; 257—J. F. Freure, R. A. Love, H. N. McEvoy, G. J. Poling; 260—J. W. Houston, E. J. Khaan; 262—J. A. Durkin; 263—A. Edmunds, K. J. Bouchard, C. G. Dies.

GRAND SUPERINTENDENTS AND DISTRICT CHAPTERS

ST. CLAIR DISTRICT No. 1

R. Ex. Comp. Robert Colledge, 2216 Charl St., Windsor, N8X 2A2

47	Wellington	Chatham	119	King Cyrus	Leamington
71	Prince of Wales	Essex	153	Sombra	Wallaceburg
73	Erie	Ridgetown	239	Blenheim	Blenheim
80	Ark	Windsor	250	Thomas Peters	Windsor
88	MacNabb	Dresden			

LONDON DISTRICT No. 2

R. Ex. Comp. Edwin E. Hayes, 1784 - 10th Line, Corunna, N0N 1G0

3	St. John's	London	81	Aylmer	Aylmer
5	St. George's	London	150	London	London
15	Wawanosh	Sarnia	214	Vimy	Inwood
53	Bruce	Petrolia	238	The St. Andrew	London
54	Palestine	St. Thomas	242	St. Paul's	Lambeth
74	Beaver	Strathroy	247	Nilestown	Nilestown
78	Minnewawa	Parkhill	252	Hiawatha	Sarnia

WILSON DISTRICT No. 3

R. Ex. Comp. Ronald H. Cartmale, 36 Glenn Ave., Ingersoll, N5C 2C8

18 Oxford ..... Woodstock
20 Mount Horeb ..... Brantford
23 Ezra ..... Simcoe
41 Harris ..... Ingersoll
115 Brant ..... Paris
253 Regal ..... Port Dover
255 Tillsonburg ..... Tillsonburg

WELLINGTON DISTRICT No. 4

R. Ex. Comp. William Gordon Speers, R.R. #2, Palmerston, N0G 2P0

32 Waterloo ..... Galt
40 Guelph ..... Guelph
67 Enterprise ..... Palmerston
83 Ionic ..... Orangeville
117 Kitchener ..... Kitchener
218 Prince Edward ..... Shelburne
221 Durham ..... Durham
234 Halton ..... Georgetown
245 Preston ..... Preston

HAMILTON DISTRICT NO. 5

R. Ex. Comp. Ernest John Reddie, 510 Valley Dr., Oakville, L6L 4M1

2 The Hiram ..... Hamilton
6 St. John's ..... Hamilton
75 St. Clair ..... Milton
104 White Oak ..... Oakville
155 Ancaster ..... Ancaster
175 The Hamilton ..... Hamilton
224 Keystone ..... Hamilton
236 Caledonia ..... Caledonia
243 McKay ..... Stoney Creek
262 King David ..... Burlington

HURON DISTRICT No. 6

R. Ex. Comp. Leonard Roome Smith, 120 Toronto St., Mitchell, Box 608, N0K 1N0

24 Tecumseh ..... Stratford
30 Huron ..... Goderich
46 St. James ..... St. Marys
63 Havelock ..... Kincardine
66 The Malloch ..... Seaforth
84 Lebanon ..... Wingham
129 Elliott ..... Mitchell
146 Bernard ..... Listowel
147 Lucknow ..... Lucknow

NIAGARA DISTRICT No. 7

R. Ex. Comp. Terry McKay, 7793 Garner Rd., Niagara Falls, R.R. #2, L2E 6S5

19 Mount Moriah ..... St. Catharines
29 McCallum ..... Dunnville
55 Niagara ..... Niagara-on-the-Lake
57 King Hiram ..... Port Colborne
64 Willson ..... Welland
69 Grimsby ..... Grimsby
76 Mount Nebo ..... Niagara Falls
184 Hugh Murray ..... Fort Erie N.
240 Smithville ..... Smithville

TORONTO EAST DISTRICT, No. 8

R. Ex. Comp. Stewart Rowntree, 4795 Highway #7, Woodbridge, L4L 1A7

4 St. Andrew & St. John ..... Toronto
8 King Solomon ..... Toronto
62 York ..... Leaside
79 Orient ..... Toronto
135 Succoth ..... Uxbridge
145 The St. Patrick ..... Thornhill
205 Victoria ..... Thornhill
217 St. Alban's ..... Thornhill
225 Beaver ..... Toronto
235 Aurora ..... Aurora
241 University ..... Thornhill
258 Tyrian ..... Markham
263 The Scarborough, Scarborough

TORONTO WEST DISTRICT No. 8A

R. Ex. Comp. George Stephen Johnson, 29 Bairstow Cres., Rexdale, M9W 4R3

77	Occident	Toronto	220	Lebanon	Etobicoke
91	Toronto-Antiquity	Toronto	230	Port Credit	Port Credit
138	Shekinah	Toronto	231	The St. Clair	Richmond Hill
195	Peel	Brampton	232	King Cyrus	Toronto
212	Mount Sinai	Richmond Hill	233	Oakwood	Leaside
215	Mimico	Mimico	246	Humber	Weston
219	Ulster	Weston	260	Centennial	Streetsville

GEORGIAN DISTRICT No. 9

R. Ex. Comp. Hans Karl Wiese, 487 Johnson St., Midland, L4R 2Y8

27	Manitou	Collingwood	131	Amabel	Wiarton
34	Signet	Barrie	167	Kichikewana	Midland
56	Georgian	Owen Sound	198	Couchiching	Orillia
130	Chantry	Southampton	261	Seguin	Parry Sound

ONTARIO DISTRICT NO. 10

R. E. Comp. William Edward Sunderland, 387 William St., Cobourg, K9A 3A1

28	Pentalpha	Oshawa	94	Midland	Lindsay
35	Keystone	Whitby	110	Warkworth	Warkworth
36	Corinthian	Peterborough	134	King Darius	Cannington
37	Victoria	Port Hope	168	Ionic	Campbellford
45	Excelsior	Colborne	249	Palestine	Bowmanville
48	St. John's	Cobourg			

PRINCE EDWARD DISTRICT No. 11

R. Ex. Comp. Eugene William Harrison, R.R. #2, P.O. Box 403, Belleville, K8N 5A5

7	The Moira	Belleville	72	Keystone	Stirling
26	St. Mark's	Trenton	144	Presqu'ile	Brighton
31	Prince Edward	Picton	161	Madoc	Madoc
44	Mount Sinai	Napanee	227	Quinte-Friendship	Belleville

ST. LAWRENCE DISTRICT No. 12

R. Ex. Comp. Orval Howard Francis, 6 Crawford St., Brockville, K6V 1S1

1	Ancient Frontenac and Cataraqui	Kingston	68	Maitland	Kemptville
22	Grenville	Prescott	112	St. John's	Morrisburg
59	Sussex-St. Lawrence	Brockville	113	Covenant	Cornwall
			132	Leeds	Gananoque

OTTAWA DISTRICT No. 13

R. Ex. Comp. Clifford Alexander Churchill, 63 Ashgrove Cres., Ottawa, K2G 0S8

16	Carleton	Ottawa	148	St. John's	Vankleek Hill
61	Granite	Almonte	151	Laurentian	Pembroke
114	Bonnechere	Renfrew	210	Kitchener	Russell
116	Maple	Carleton Place	222	Ottawa	Ottawa
133	St. Francis	Smiths Falls	226	Prince of Wales	Perth
143	Glengarry	Maxville	248	Dochert	Arnprior

ALGOMA DISTRICT No. 14

R. Ex. Comp. George Verner Norlund, 301 - 5th St., Rainy River, P0W 1L0

82	Shuniah	Port Arthur	152	Alberton	Fort Frances
90	Golden	Kenora	254	Golden Star	Dryden
140	Fort William	Fort William	259	Quetico	Atikokan
149	Atwood	Rainy River			

NEW ONTARIO DISTRICT No. 15

R. Ex. Comp. Robert Angus Beaton, 951 Wellington St. E., Sault Ste. Marie, P6A 2N8

95	Tuscan	Sudbury	103	St. John's	North Bay
102	Algonquin	Sault Ste. Marie	257	Espanola	Espanola

TEMISKAMING DISTRICT No. 16

R. Ex. Comp. James Eric Sutton, 171 Scott St., Box 675, New Liskeard, P0J 1P0

169	Temiskaming	Haileybury	223	Abitibi	Iroquois Falls
213	Northern Lights	Timmins	251	Kirkland	Kirkland Lake

FIRST PRINCIPALS OF CHAPTERS FOR 1979

1 Ancient Frontenac & Cataraqui—Ex. Comp. James H. Cripps, 20 Elmwood St., Kingston, K7M 2Y5.
2 The Hiram—Ex. Comp. George Forgan, 400 East 47 St., Apt. 10, Hamilton, L8H 7M9.
3 St. John's—Ex. Comp. John B. Gunnis, 17 Kenwood Cres., London, N5Y 3W6.
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*T. D. Harington	1863-4-5-6 7-8-9-70-1
*S. B. Harmon	1872
*C. D. Macdonell	1873
*Jas. Seymour	1874
*L. H. Henderson	1875-6
*F. J. Menet	1877-8
*Daniel Spry	1879-80
*Donald Ross	1881-2
*H. Macpherson	1883-4
*Thos. Sargant	1885-6
*Rob. Hendry Jr.	1887
*R. B. Hungerford	1888-9
*J. J. Mason	1890-1
*J. E. Harding	1892-3
*J. Ross Robertson	1894-5
*M. Walsh	1896-7-8
*Wm. G. Reid	1899-1900
*Wm. Gibson	1901-2
*A. Shaw	1903-4
*William Roaf	1905-6
*John Leslie	1907-8
*George Moore	1909-10
*Fred W. Harcourt	1911-2
*Daniel F. MacWatt	1913-4
*Wm. S. R. Murch	1915-6
*A. S. Gorrell	1917-8
*Wm. N. Ponton	1919-20
*H. S. Griffin	1921
*Richard H. Spencer	1922-3
*Walter H. Davis	1924-5
*Kenneth J. Dunstan	1926-7
*Edwin Smith	1928-9
*Walter G. Price	1930-1
*Chas. W. Haentschel	1932-3
*Alexander Cowan	1934
*George L. Gardiner	1935-6
*Wm. Y. Mills	1937-8
*Llewellyn F. Stephens	1939-40
*John M. Empey	1941-2
*John M. Burden	1943-4
*Reginald V. Conover	1945-6
*Frederick W. Dean	1947-8
*Clarence MacL. Pitts	1949-50
Alexander G. N. Bradshaw	1951-2
*John A. M. Taylor	1953-4
John L. House	1955-6
*Maurice A. Searle	1957-8
Bruce H. Smith	1959-60
Charles W. Emmett	1961-2
Fraser Hay	1963-4
*James E. Girven	1965-6
*Stanley Portch	1967-8
*G. Harold Shannon	1969
Frederick W. D. Welham	1970-1
Leo J. Gent	1972-73
William S. Thomson	1974-5
William H. Sproule	1976-7
Aube L. Weisman	1978-9

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*Hugh Murray	1903
*Harry H. Watson	1909
*E. T. Malone	1919
*A. T. Freed	1920
*John M. Gibson	1922
*Roderick B. Dargavel	1941
*Melville S. Gooderham	1957
*Reginald J. Lewis	1964

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R. Ex. Comp. Sir George Boag, England—Hon. Past Grand Supt. 1958.
*R. Ex. Comp. William A. Laird, Scotland—Hon. Past Grand Scribe E., 1958.
R. Ex. Comp. William H. Sweeting, Victoria, Australia—Hon. Past Grand Prin. Soj. 1958.

The Rt. Hon. The Earl of Elgin & Kincardine—Hon. Past Grand Z. 1975.

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*R. P. Stephens	1874-1875
*Daniel Spry	1876-1877
*David McLellan	1878-1891
*Thomas Sargent	1892-1898
*George J. Bennett	1899-1915
*Henry T. Smith	1916-1928
*Edwin Smith	1929-1949
*Fred J. Johnson	1949-1959
*Maurice A. Searle	1960-61
*Robert J. Hamilton	1962-1969
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